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145th ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE
TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE
TOWN OF ARLINGTON
MASSACHUSETTS, *Selectmen*

AND
THE TOWN RECORDS

FOR THE
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1951



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ARLINGTON

Casement
Reference

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Arlington

"The Defense of Liberty is our Ancestral Heritage"
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	1950	1945	1940	1930
Population	44,353	43,515	40,013	36,094

Settled—1630—part of Cambridge (known as Menotomy)
Incorporated—1807—West Cambridge
1867—name changed to Arlington

Assessed Valuation—\$64,126,950.

Tax Rate—\$54.20

Area in acres	3,517.5
Area in square miles	5.5
Extreme length in miles	3.47
Extreme width in miles	2.32

Public Streets	70.92 miles
Private Streets open for travel	35.33 miles
Private Streets proposed	10.45 miles
State Highways and Parkways	5.87 miles
Sewer Mains	96.03 miles
Water Mains	107.47 miles
Storm Drains	54.88 miles

Located 6 miles northwest of Boston; Latitude—42°, 25', north;
longitude—71°, 09', west
Highest elevation—377 feet above mean tide
Lowest elevation—4 feet above mean tide

148.24 acres of Parks and Playgrounds
Schools—Class A

TOWN OFFICERS

ELECTIVE

Moderator

Harold E. Magnuson..Term expires 1953

Town Clerk

James J. Golden....Term expires 1954

Selectmen and Board of Public Welfare

Marcus L. Sorensen, Chairman..Term expires 1952

Edmund L. Frost.....Term expires 1953

Walter T. Kenney.....Term expires 1954

Board of Public Works

Thomas J. O'Neill, Chairman....Term expires 1952

Thomas R. Rawson..Term expires 1953

Joseph P. Greeley.....Term expires 1954

Assessors

William O. Hauser, Chairman.....Term expires 1952

Walter S. Cooledge, Jr.Term expires 1953

Arthur W. Sampson.....Term expires 1954

Treasurer and Tax Collector

J. Wilbert AndersonTerm expires 1954

School Committee

Carl F. Allen.....Term expires 1952

Joseph J. BevinsTerm expires 1952

Mary E. Porteus.....Term expires 1952

M. Norcross Stratton....Term expires 1953

Mary K. BoydTerm expires 1953

John P. Morine, ChairmanTerm expires 1953

John H. Allison.....Term expires 1954

James W. KidderTerm expires 1954

Eleanor J. StrongTerm expires 1954

Planning Board

Charles J. Daley, Jr.Term expires 1952

Herbert M. DutcherTerm expires 1952

Harvey C. AbbottTerm expires 1953

John O. Parker, Chairman.....Term expires 1953

John B. Byrne, Jr.Term expires 1954

Park Commissioners

Edward D. Buckley, ChairmanTerm expires 1952

Franklin W. HurdTerm expires 1953

Everett J. Henderson.....Term expires 1954

Board of Health

John S. Crosby, Chairman	Term expires 1952
Ernest R. Brooks.....	Term expires 1953
Carl E. Barstow.....	Term expires 1954

Commissioners of Sinking Fund

Edward P. Clark, Chairman.....	Term expires 1952
Harold A. Yeames	Term expires 1953
William J. O'Brien, Jr.....	Term expires 1954

Trustees of Pratt Fund

Harold A. Yeames.....	Term expires 1952
‡Sherman H. Peppard.....	Term expires 1953
Walter T. Chamberlain	Term expires 1954
Robert L. Moore	Term expires 1955
Edward P. Clark	Term expires 1956

Trustees of Robbins Library

Mark W. Bradford.....	Term expires 1952
*Wilson D. Clark, Jr., Chairman	Term expires 1952
†John B. Fox.....	
Francis Keefe	Term expires 1953
Roscoe O. Elliott.....	Term expires 1953
Margaret E. Heaps.....	Term expires 1954
Llewellyn B. Parsons	Term expires 1954

‡Deceased

*Resigned

†Appointed (to serve until next annual election)

**Trustees of the Edwin S. Farmer Poor Widows' Fund and
Trustees of the Edwin S. Farmer Fund for Needy Persons**

‡Sherman H. Peppard.....	Term expires 1952
Robert L. Moore..	Term expires 1953
Walter T. Chamberlain..	Term expires 1954
Edward P. Clark..	Term expires 1955
Harold A. Yeames.....	Term expires 1956

Trustees of Francis E. Thompson Scholarship Fund

Edward A. Bailey ..	Term expires 1952
Arthur O. Yeames.....	Term expires 1953
Harold A. Cahalin ..	Term expires 1954

**Trustees of Elbridge Farmer Fund
(not elective)**

James A. Bailey	John G. Brackett
Edward P. Clark	Frederick W. Hill
Gardner C. Porter	Arthur O. Yeames

Cemetery Commissioners

Ralph S. Stevens, Chairman	Term expires 1952
Arthur R. Kimball	Term expires 1953
Wathen B. Henderson.....	Term expires 1954

Tree Warden

George M. Dolan	Term expires 1954
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Housing Authority

Cornelius J. Brosnan	Term expires 1953
W. Dale Barker.....	Term expires 1954
Joseph S. Vahey ..	Term expires 1955
Myron D. Chace, Chairman	Term expires 1956
John P. Kedian (appointed by State Housing Board for term ending 7-16-56)	

**Measurers of Wood and Bark
(Elected annually)**

‡Charles E. Hale	Horace W. Peirce
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**Personnel Board
(appointed by Moderator)**

James J. Flynn....	Term expires 1952
Arthur J. Mansfield	Term expires 1952
M. Norcross Stratton, Chairman ..	Term expires 1952

APPOINTED OFFICERS

Agent, Clerk, Board of Health J. Philip Bower

Boards of Appeals

Building	{	John R. Salmon, Chairman ..1952 Robert W. Blaisdell.. ..1953 Clifford E. Lansil1954 Richard Donovan, Associate....1952
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Zoning	{	Robert W. Blaisdell.....1952 Clifford E. Lansil1953 John R. Salmon, Chairman..1954 Harvey C. Abbott, Associate ..1952 Richard Donovan, Associate....1952
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Burial Agent.....Charles R. Armour
 Chief, Fire Department.....Richard J. Tierney
 Chief of Police.....Archibald F. Bullock

Constables	{	Joseph G. Bourgeois J. Philip Bower Archibald F. Bullock *James J. Dolan William F. Duggan James J. Golden Robert Hauser Frank K. Nicksay
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Contributory Retirement Board.. . . .	{	Harold A. Cahalin Clarence Needham J. Wilbert Anderson
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Custodian in Charge of Town Houses.....James Carmody
 Director, Civil Defense.....Daniel J. McFadden
 Director, Housing Authority.....Robert Hauser
 Director, Veterans' Services Dept.....Charles R. Armour
 Dog Officer.....Samuel F. Femia

Fence Viewers.....	{	James J. Dolan †Herbert J. Leary *Paul H. Mossman
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Field Drivers.....	{	Archibald F. Bullock Thomas F. Sullivan James J. Flynn Thomas F. Meagher
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Forest Warden.....Richard J. Tierney
 Inspector of Animals.....Dr. John J. Murphy, Jr.

Inspector of Buildings	{	*Paul H. Mossman **Herbert J. Leary
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Inspector of MilkJ. Philip Bower
 Inspector of Plumbing and Gas.....George R. Seaver

†Appointed

*Resigned

**Appointed (Acting Inspector of Buildings)

Inspector of Slaughtering.....	J. Philip Bower
Inspector of Wires.....	(Robert L. Reid
Keeper of Lockup.....	Archibald F. Bullock
Librarian, Robbins Library	{ *Lucinda F. Spofford
	{ †Judith E. Stromdahl
Moth Superintendent.....	George M. Dolan
Old Age Assistance Bureau	{ Edmund L. Frost
	{ Walter T. Kenney
	{ Bertha L. Murphy
Old Age Assistance Bureau, Agent.....	George V. Morse
Registrars of Voters.. ..	{ Arthur P. Wyman 1952
	{ Ernest Hesseltine 1953
	{ Timothy J. Buckley, Ch. 1954
	{ James J. Golden, Clerk
Secretary, Agent, Board of Public Welfare.....	George V. Morse
Secretary, Head Clerk, Board of Assessors	Arthur F. Wells
Secretary, Head Clerk, Board of Public Works....	***Warren E. O'Leary
Secretary, Board of Selectmen.....	Frank K. Nicksay
Secretary, Board of Survey.....	Frank K. Nicksay
Secretary, Personnel Board.....	A. Lee Morris
Sealer of Weights and Measures	James J. Dolan
Superintendent, Fire and Police Signal System.....	Richard J. Tierney
Superintendent, Parks and Recreation.....	Daniel J. McFadden
Superintendent of Schools.....	Clifford R. Hall
Superintendent of Streets.....	{ †Edward J. O'Brien
	{ †William J. Toomey
Town Accountant	Clarence Needham
Town Counsel.....	Russell T. Hamlet
Town Engineer	James M. Keane
Town Physician.....	Dr. Edward W. Feeley
Water Registrar.....	David P. Geary

*Resigned

† Appointed

***Appointed (Temporary Head Clerk and Secretary)

‡Deceased

COMMITTEES APPOINTED IN PURSUANCE OF TOWN MEETING VOTES

Town Yard Committee

Vote of March 24, 1919

F. Hedley Barnhill
John L. Murphy
Frank K. Phillips

Committee to Study the Advisability of a Central Purchasing Department

Vote of April 1, 1940

Fred R. Buckley	Alden R. Hirtle
George A. Harris	Everett G. Cobb
John W. Scriven, Jr.	Emmons F. Wylie
Arthur D. Saul, Jr.	

Committee on Advanced Programming and Budgeting

Vote of March 24, 1944

David A. Wilcox	Elwyn E. Mariner
Henry E. Halpin	Hallam T. Ring
Herbert M. Dutcher	

Committee to Investigate, Consider and Recommend Alterations, Additions or Other Changes to Building Code

Vote of March 15, 1946

Robert McIntosh	Geoffrey A. Sawyer
Stanley M. Ryerson	Lindsay Biathrow
Alfred C. Bridgens	Arthur J. Mansfield
Arthur Wannlund, Sr.	

Committee to Procure Plans and Estimates for the Construction of an Elementary School Building on Land of the Town Situated in the Mystic Street Area

Vote of March 12, 1947

Harold M. Estabrook	Emil Fellman
James W. Kidder	Ralph S. Stevens
Frank W. Hewitt	

Town Hall Building Committee

Votes of March 14, 1946 & December 27, 1948

Joseph Peterson	John J. Casey
Harold A. Cahalin	E. Stanley Beck
James J. Golden	

Committee on Special Compensation for Town Officers and Employees

Vote of October 9, 1950

M. Norcross Stratton	Archie F. Bullock
J. Howard Hayes	Wallace Gorton
Marcus L. Sorensen	

Committee on Town Manager Form of Government
Vote of October 4, 1950

Martin F. Roach	Frederick Stanley Glynn, Jr.
Marjorie T. Curtis	*William F. Holian
James C. Doyle	†James J. Dolan
Roscoe O. Elliott	Daniel M. Hooley, Jr.
John O. Parker	

*Resigned †Appointed

**Committee to Consider, Investigate and Study the Use of,
or the Disposal of, the Junior High Industrial Arts Building**
Vote of March 28, 1951

Malcolm H. Masters	Eleanor J. Strong
Ellen H. Shepherd	Serovp P. Basamajian
James W. Daily	

Russell School Building Committee
Vote of March 28, 1951

John H. Allison	Anna I. Sedoff
Frank L. Lincoln	Paul E. Widder
Franklin W. Hurd	

**Committee to Investigate and Consider the Matter
of a Fire Prevention Code**
Vote of March 28, 1951

Elmer W. Harris	Richard J. Tierney
Abner P. Wyman	Harry J. O'Reilly
Edward M. Cartullo	

Committee on Central Garaging for Town Vehicles
Vote of March 28, 1951

William A. Barnstead	Thomas R. Rawson
Roy V. McCormack	

Committee on Rules for Government of Town Meetings
Vote of April 9, 1951

George A. Harris	Margaret H. Spengler
John T. Mellen	John S. Rice
Harold E. Magnuson	

**Committee to Consider, Investigate and Study the Use of
The Building at the Corner of Academy Street and Maple Street**
Vote of April 12, 1951

Ascher H. Shapiro	John J. Casey
Walter T. Kenney	John Bonner
James W. Kidder	

**Records of Elections and Town Meetings
During the Year 1951**

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING MARCH 5 and 19, 1951

WARRANT

THE COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

To the Constables of the Town of Arlington, in said County:

GREETINGS:

In the name of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, you are hereby required to notify and warn the inhabitants of the Town of Arlington, qualified to vote in elections, to meet at the polling places designated for the several precincts in said town on

MONDAY, THE FIFTH DAY OF MARCH, 1951

at seven o'clock in the forenoon, to act on the following Articles, namely:

Article 1. To elect by ballot the following Town Officers: A Town Clerk for three years; a Treasurer for three years; a Selectman for three years; a member of the Board of Public Works for three years; one Assessor for three years; three members of the School Committee for three years; one member of the Board of Health for three years; two Trustees of the Robbins Library for three years; one Park Commissioner for three years; one member of the Planning Board for three years; one Cemetery Commissioner for three years; one Tree Warden for three years; one member of the Arlington Housing Authority for five years; one member of the Arlington Housing Authority for two years; one Commissioner of the Sinking Fund for three years; one Trustee of the Pratt Fund for five years; one Trustee of the Edwin S. Farmer Poor Widows' Fund and Trustee of the Edwin S. Farmer Fund for Needy Persons for five years; one Trustee of the Francis E. Thompson Scholarship Fund for three years; also, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 43A of the General Laws, in each precinct the number of Town Meeting Members as hereinafter specified: in Precinct 1, five such members for three years and one such member for

one year; in Precinct 2, seven such members for three years and one such member for two years; in Precinct 3, four such members for three years and one such member for one year; in Precinct 4, six such members for three years; in Precinct 5, five such members for three years and two such members for one year; in Precinct 6, five such members for three years; in Precinct 7, six such members for three years, one such member for two years and one such member for one year; in Precinct 8, six such members for three years and one such member for two years; in Precinct 9, five such members for three years and one such member for two years; in Precinct 10, six such members for three years, one such member for two years and two such members for one year; in Precinct 11, six such members for three years and one such member for two years; in Precinct 12, seven such members for three years and one such member for one year; in Precinct 13, six such members for three years; in Precinct 14, seven such members for three years and one such member for one year.

For these purposes, the polls will be opened at seven o'clock A.M. and remain open until eight o'clock P. M., at each of the polling places designated, viz: Precinct One, in the Crosby School Building, entrance on Winter Street; Precincts Two and Four, in the Hardy School Building, entrance on Lake Street; Precincts Three and Five, in the Junior High School Building East, entrance on Tufts Street; Precincts Six and Eight, in the Town Hall; Precincts Seven and Nine, in the Russell School Building; Precinct Seven, entrance on Medford Street; Precinct Nine, entrance on Mystic Street; Precincts Ten and Twelve, in the Cutter School Building, entrance on Robbins Road; Precinct Eleven, in the Highland Hose House, entrance on Massachusetts Avenue; Precinct Thirteen, in the Peirce School Building; entrance on Park Avenue North, Heights; Precinct Fourteen, in the Locke School Building, entrance on Park Avenue, Heights.

You are, also, required to notify and warn the said inhabitants to meet at the Town Hall, in said Town on Monday, the nineteenth day of March, 1951, at eight o'clock in the evening, at which time and place the following articles are to be acted upon and determined exclusively by town meeting members, in accordance with, and subject to, the referenda provided for by Chapter 43A of the General Laws.

Article 2. To choose and appoint all other usual Town officers not hereinbefore mentioned, in such manner as the Town may determine.

Article 3. To hear and act on the reports of the permanent committee under vote of the Town passed March 24, 1919, on the Town Yard; of the committee under vote of the Town passed April 1, 1940, to study the advisability of creating a central purchasing department; of the committee under vote of the Town passed March 12, 1947, on Advanced Programming and Budgeting; of the committee under vote of the Town passed March 15, 1946, to investigate, consider and recommend alterations, additions or other changes to the Building Code; of the committee under vote of the Town passed March 12, 1947, to procure plans and estimates for the construction of an elementary school building in the Mystic Street area; of the committee under

votes of the Town passed March 19, 1948, and March 23, 1949, on the Junior High School West Building; of the committee under vote of the Town passed March 25, 1949, to arrange a suitable way to memorialize the name of Daniel P. Barry; of the committee under vote of the Town passed March 23, 1949, on the Hardy School Building; of the committee under vote of the Town passed March 22, 1950, to study, consider and make recommendations relative to a Branch Library in East Arlington; of the committee under votes of the Town passed March 23, 1949, and March 27, 1950, to study, consider and make recommendations relative to salaries of elected town officials; of the committee under vote of the Town passed October 4, 1950, on the Town Manager form of government; and of other Town Boards and officers and of the Finance and other committees heretofore appointed.

Article 4. To see if the town will authorize, ratify and confirm the payment to the County of Middlesex of amounts assessed upon or otherwise payable by the Town under Warrant issued by the County Commissioners in accordance with Chapter 500, Section 1, of the Acts of 1943, for: (A) the Town's share of the maintenance, operation and repair of Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital during the last preceding calendar year, including interest on temporary notes issued therefor in accordance with sections of Chapter 111 of the General Laws applicable thereto; (B) the town's share of any and all other expenses in connection with said hospital including expenses under section 25G (6) (a) of Chapter 32 of the General Laws inserted by Chapter 400 of the Acts of 1936; or take any action relating to said hospital or any other thing therein mentioned.

Article 5. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum or sums of money for the development of a Civil Defense program and for the purchase of equipment and supplies necessary to carry on these defense activities; said sum to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Article 6. To see if the Town will amend the Classification Plan known as Schedule A, under Table I and Table II, of Article 7C, of the By-Laws, by adding the following classifications:

Patrolman (when assigned as Inspector)—Grade XV

Motor Equipment Operator, Grade 1 (when assigned to compressor)—Grade X

Motor Equipment Operator, Grade 1 (in School Department)—Grade IX

Supervisor of Recreational Dancing, P-T

(Inserted at the request of the Personnel Board)

Article 7. To see if the Town will amend the Classification Plan known as Schedule A, under Table I and Table II, of Article 7C, of the By-Laws, by reallocating certain classifications to the salary grades as set forth in the following list:

Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works

Inspector of Wires, Grade XXI, reallocated to Grade XXII

Civil Engineer Grade 1, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Civil Engineer Grade 2, Grade X, reallocated to Grade XI

Board of Selectmen — Police Department

Chief of Police, Grade XXIV, reallocated to Grade XXV

Traffic Signal Maintenance Man, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

Assistant Traffic Signal Maintenance Man, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Board of Selectmen — Fire Department

Chief—Fire Department, Grade XXIV, reallocated to Grade XXV

Board of Selectmen — Welfare Department

Social Work Supervisor, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Social Worker, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Board of Selectmen — Building Department

Inspector of Buildings, Grade XXI, reallocated to Grade XXII

Assistant Inspector of Buildings, Grade X, reallocated to Grade XI

Board of Selectmen

Moth Superintendent—Superintendent of Town House Grounds, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

Sealer of Weights and Measures, Grade XI, reallocated to Grade XIII

Board of Public Works

Head Water Meter Reader, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Water Meter Reader, Grade VIII, reallocated to Grade IX

Water Registrar, Grade XI, reallocated to Grade XIX

Public Works Foreman, Grade XI, reallocated to Grade XV

Foreman of Paint, Carpenter and Blacksmith Shops, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

General Public Works Foreman, Grade XV, reallocated to Grade XVII

Working Foreman M. E. Repair, Grade XIII, reallocated to Grade XV

Storekeeper, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Timekeeper, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Supervisor of Motor Equipment Repair, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

Assistant Superintendent of Public Works, Grade XXI, reallocated to Grade XXII

Board of Park Commissioners

Superintendent of Parks and Recreation, Grade XXII, reallocated to Grade XXIII

Park Foreman, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

School Committee

School Nurse, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Supervising School Nurse, Grade VIII, reallocated to Grade IX

Supervisor of Custodians and Maintenance, Grade XXII, reallocated to Grade XXIII

Construction Handyman, Grade VIII, reallocated to Grade IX

Board of Health

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Agent, Board of Health, Grade XVII, reallocated to Grade XIX

Public Health Nurse, Grade VIII, reallocated to Grade IX

Board of Assessors

Executive Secretary, Board of Assessors, Grade XXII, reallocated to Grade XXIII

Tree Warden

Tree Climber, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Principal Clerk, Grade V, reallocated to Grade VI

(Inserted at the request of the Personnel Board)

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to amend Table I of Schedule A of the Classification Plan, and Table I of Schedule B of the Pay Plan as established by Article 7C of the By-Laws, by striking out the figures \$3,200.00 in Grade XII of said plans and substituting therefor the figures \$3,300.00; and by striking out the words and figures Maximum — \$3,245.00 in Grade XIII and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum — \$3,300.00; and by striking out the figures \$3,939.00 in Grade XVIII and substituting therefor the figures \$3,985.00; and by striking out the words and figures Maximum — \$3,939.00 in Grade XIX and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$3,985.00; and by striking out the figures \$4,178.00 in

Grade XX and substituting therefor the figures \$4,277.00; and by striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$4,186.00 in Grade XXI and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum \$4,277.00; and by striking out the figures \$5,200.00 in Grade XXV and substituting therefor the figures \$5,400.00.

(Inserted at the request of the Personnel Board)

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to amend Table I of Schedule A of the Classification Plan, and Table I of Schedule B of the Pay Plan, as established by Article 7C of the By-Laws, by increasing any or all money figures contained therein by approximately five percentum (5%); will appropriate a sum or sums of money therefor to be expended by the various departments effected; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

(Inserted at the request of the Personnel Board)

Article 10. To see if the Town will authorize the various departments of the Town to increase by approximately five percentum (5%), the basic salaries or wages of all employees not covered by Table I of Schedule A of the Classification Plan and Table I of Schedule B of the Pay Plan as established by Article 7C of the By-Laws of the Town, including part-time employees, employees now receiving salaries or wages in excess of maximums as now established by said Classification and Pay Plan; will appropriate a sum or sums of money therefor to be expended by the various departments effected; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

(Inserted at the request of the Personnel Board, School Committee and the Committee For Special Compensation for Town Officers and Employees)

Article 11. To see if the Town will adopt a plan as presented by the Committee For Special Compensation for Town Officers and Employees relative to providing Special Compensation, to enable employees, including school teachers and full time elected officials of the Town, to meet changes in the cost of living; will appropriate a sum or sums of money therefor; determine in what manner such money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relative thereto.

(Inserted at the request of the Committee For Special Compensation for Town Officers and Employees, Personnel Board and School Committee)

Article 12. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 783 of the Acts of 1950, which amends Section 25 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws, which act is entitled "AN ACT MAKING APPLICABLE INCREASES IN RETIREMENT ALLOWANCES TO THOSE PERSONS RETIRED AFTER JANUARY FIRST, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FORTY-SIX WITH A MINIMUM ALLOWANCE"; or take any action relating thereto.

Article 13. To see if the Town will vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 820 of the Acts of 1950, which Act is entitled "AN ACT

PROVIDING FOR AN INCREASE IN THE ANNUAL AMOUNTS OF CERTAIN PENSIONS, RETIREMENT ALLOWANCES, ANNUITIES AND OTHER BENEFITS PAYABLE BY THE COMMONWEALTH AND ITS POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS TO CERTAIN FORMER EMPLOYEES AND PERSONS CLAIMING UNDER THEM"; or take any action relating thereto.

Article 14. To make appropriations to defray Town obligations, liabilities, outlay and expenses and especially for or relating to all or any of the boards, departments, purposes and matters hereinafter mentioned, and to provide for the disposal of motor vehicles or other personal property belonging to the Town; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating thereto.

Finance Committee; Board of Selectmen; Accountant; Town Treasurer and Collector of Taxes Departments; Assessors' Department; Legal Department; Claims; Town Clerk's Department; Vital Statistics; Board of Public Works; Engineering Department; Elections and Town Meetings; Planning Board; Board of Survey (Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works); Robbins Memorial Town Hall; Town House Grounds Department; Police Department; Parking Meters; Fire Department; Fire and Police Signal System; Building, Plumbing and Gas Inspection; Boards of Appeals (Building and Zoning); Wire Department; Sealer of Weights and Measures; Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth Suppression; Tree Warden's Department; Health Department; Inspector of Animals; Sewerage System Maintenance; Removal of Ashes, Offal and Rubbish; Highway Division; Snow and Ice Removal; Lighting of Streets and Ways; Traffic Signals; Public Welfare Department; Aid to Dependent Children; Old Age Assistance; District or Other Nurses; Veterans' Benefits; Schools; Robbins Library and Branches; Parks; Playgrounds; Pensions (non-contributory); Contributory Retirement System; Memorial Day; Patriots' Day; Printing Town Reports; Insurance; Workmen's Compensation Insurance Fund; Municipal Insurance Fund; Reserve Fund; Maintenance of Menotomy Hall and Houses Owned by the Town; Water Department Maintenance; Cemeteries; Interest; Debt; Sinking Fund; Personnel Board; Civil Defense.

Article 15. To see if the Town will take any action relative to providing a permanent increase in annual compensation to the members of the Board of Selectmen, determine in what manner such compensation shall be raised, or take any action relative thereto.

(Inserted at the request of more than ten (10) registered voters)

Article 16. To see if the Town will authorize the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1952, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew any note or notes that may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17, Chapter 44, General Laws.

Article 17. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of five thousand eight hundred (5,800) dollars, for the purpose of extending the sewer along Summer Street, from its present end to the Town line, or any part thereof; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating thereto.

(Inserted at the request of more than ten (10) registered voters)

Article 18. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of five thousand six hundred (5,600) dollars, for the purpose of extending a sewer along Orient Avenue, from its junction with Summer Street to its junction with Westmoreland Avenue, or any part thereof; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating thereto.

(Inserted at the request of more than ten (10) registered voters)

Article 19. To see if the Town will make an appropriation for the Extension of the Sewerage System; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating thereto.

Article 20. To see if the Town will make an appropriation for the Extension of Water Mains; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating thereto.

Article 21. To see if the Town will make an appropriation for the Extension of Storm Drains; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating thereto.

Article 22. To see if the Town will make an appropriation for the construction of permanent sidewalks and for the installing of edge-stones; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Article 23. To see if the Town will make an appropriation for the relocation, alteration and widening, construction of, specific repairs upon and improvement of all or any parts of Broadway, Mystic Street, Park Avenue, Massachusetts Avenue or Pleasant Street, within the town as now existing or hereafter relocated, altered or widened, including land damages, if any, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments or otherwise; said appropriation to be used with any sum or sums which may be allotted by the Commonwealth or County of Middlesex or both for such purpose or purposes; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action in any way relative to all or any of the foregoing.

Article 24. To see if the Town will accept the laying out of a Town way from Wilson Avenue to Littlejohn Street, substantially in the location of the private way known as Mott Street, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments; establish said way; make an appro-

priation for said laying out and the construction of said way; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Said way as so laid out is bounded and described, as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northeasterly side line of Wilson Avenue and the northwesterly side line of Mott Street thence southeasterly, easterly and northeasterly on said northwesterly side line of Mott Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 20 feet a distance of 30.21 feet to a point of tangency in said northwesterly side line of Mott Street thence northeasterly on said northwesterly side line of Mott Street a distance of 566.57 feet to the point of intersection of said northwesterly side line of Mott Street and the northeasterly side line of Littlejohn Street thence southeasterly on said northeasterly side line of Littlejohn Street a distance of 40.09 feet to the point of intersection of said northeasterly side line of Littlejohn Street and the southeasterly side line of Mott Street thence southwesterly on said southeasterly side line of Mott Street a distance of 564.56 feet to a point of curve in said southeasterly side line of Mott Street thence southwesterly, southerly and southeasterly on said southeasterly side line of Mott Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 20 feet a distance of 32.62 feet to the point of intersection of said southeasterly side line of Mott Street and the northeasterly side line of Wilson Avenue thence northwesterly on said northeasterly side line of Wilson Avenue a distance of 80.14 feet to the point of beginning.

Article 25. To see if the Town will accept the laying out of a Town way from Margaret Street to Burch Street, substantially in the location of the private way known as Edith Street, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments; establish said way; make an appropriation for said laying out and the construction of said way; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Said way as so laid out is bounded and described, as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly side line of Margaret Street and the southerly side line of Edith Street thence northwesterly, westerly and southwesterly on said southerly side line of Edith Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 25 ft. a distance of 37.52 ft. to a point of tangency in said southerly side line of Edith Street thence southwesterly on said southerly side line of Edith Street a distance of 226.69 ft. to a point of curve in said southerly side line of Edith Street thence southwesterly and southerly on said southerly side line of Edith Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 25 ft. a distance of 39.27 ft. to a point of intersection of said southerly side line of Edith Street and the easterly side line of Burch Street thence northerly on said easterly side line of Burch Street, distances of 65.1 and 23.31 ft. respectively to the point of intersection of said easterly side line of Burch Street and the northerly side line of Edith Street thence southeasterly, easterly and northeasterly on said northerly side line of

Edith Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 25 ft. a distance of 37.52 ft. to a point of tangency in said northerly side line of Edith Street thence northeasterly on said northerly side line of Edith Street a distance of 224.88 ft. to a point of tangency in said northerly side line of Edith Street thence northeasterly, northerly and northwesterly on said northerly side line of Edith Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 25 ft. a distance of 41.02 ft. to the point of intersection of said northerly side line of Edith Street and the westerly side line of Margaret Street thence southeasterly on said westerly side line of Margaret Street, a distance of 90.22 ft. to the point of beginning.

ARTICLE 26. To see if the town will accept the laying out of a Town way from Richfield Road To Ridge Street, substantially in the location of the private way known as Cutter Hill Road, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments; establish said way; make an appropriation for said laying out and the construction of said way; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Said way as so laid out is bounded and described, as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northerly side line of Richfield Road and the northwesterly side line of Cutter Hill Road thence easterly and northeasterly on said northwesterly side line of Cutter Hill Road on a curve to the left with a radius of 20 feet a distance of 28.66 feet to a point of tangency in said northwesterly side line of Cutter Hill Road thence northeasterly on said northwesterly side line of Cutter Hill Road a distance of 71.62 feet to a point of curve in said northwesterly side line of Cutter Hill Road thence continuing northeasterly on said northwesterly side line of Cutter Hill Road on a curve to the left with a radius of 1194.92 feet a distance of 277.42 feet to a point of compound curve in said northwesterly side line of Cutter Hill Road thence northerly and northwesterly on said northwesterly side line of Cutter Hill Road on a curve to the left with a radius of 25.80 feet a distance of 24.36 feet to the southerly side line of Oakhill Drive thence northeasterly a distance of 62 feet more or less to the westerly side line of Ridge Street thence southeasterly a distance of 61 feet more or less to the point of intersection of the westerly side line of Ridge Street and the southeasterly side line of Cutter Hill Road thence westerly and southwesterly on said southeasterly side line of Cutter Hill Road on a curve to the left with a radius of 40 feet a distance of 46.08 feet to a point of reverse curve in said southeasterly side line of Cutter Hill Road thence southwesterly on said southeasterly side line of Cutter Hill Road on a curve to the right with a radius of 1244.92 feet a distance of 247.93 feet to a point of tangency in said southeasterly side line of Cutter Hill Road thence continuing southwesterly on said southeasterly side line of Cutter Hill Road a distance of 75.63 feet to a point of curve in said southeasterly side line of Cutter Hill Road thence southwesterly, southerly and southeasterly on said southeasterly side line of Cutter Hill Road on a curve to the left with a radius of 20 feet a distance of 26.92 feet to the point of intersection of said southeasterly side line of Cutter Hill Road and the northerly side line of Richfield Road thence northwesterly on said northerly side line of Richfield Road

on a curve to the left with a radius of 230 feet a distance of 83.38 feet to the point of beginning.

Article 27. To see if the Town will accept the laying out of a Town way from Wright Street to end, substantially in the location of the private way known as Berkeley Street, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments; establish said way; make an appropriation for said laying out and the construction of said way; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Said way as so laid out is bounded and described, as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the westerly side line of Wright Street and the southwesterly side line of Berkeley Street thence northeasterly, northerly and northwesterly on said southwesterly side line of Berkeley Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 15 feet a distance of 18.57 feet to a point of tangency in said southwesterly side line of Berkeley Street thence northwesterly on said southwesterly side line of Berkeley Street a distance of 541.56 feet to a point on said southwesterly side line of Berkeley Street at the northwesterly boundary line of lot 20 thence northeasterly across said Berkeley Street a distance of 40.66 feet to a point on the northeasterly side line of Berkeley Street at the Northwesterly boundary line of lot 23 thence southeasterly on said northeasterly side line of Berkeley Street a distance of 496.06 feet to a point of curve in said northeasterly side line of Berkeley Street thence southeasterly, easterly and northeasterly on said northeasterly side line of Berkeley on a curve to the left with a radius of 25 feet a distance of 47.59 feet to the point of intersection of said northeasterly side line of Berkeley Street and the westerly side line of Wright Street thence southwesterly on said westerly side line of Wright Street a distance of 88.10 feet to the point of beginning.

Article 28. To see if the Town will accept the laying out of a Town way from Massachusetts Avenue to its present end, substantially in the location of the private way known as Willow Court, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments; establish said way; make an appropriation for said laying out and the construction of said way; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Said way as so laid out is bounded and described, as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northeasterly side line of Massachusetts Avenue and the northwesterly side line of Willow Court thence northeasterly on said northwesterly side line of Willow Court a distance of 138.08 feet to a point of curve in said northwesterly side line of Willow Court thence northeasterly, northerly and northwesterly on a curve to the left a distance of 37.2 feet to land now or formerly of Elliot R. Barker thence southeasterly through land now or formerly of Elliot R. Barker and of Hazel A. Moriarty and by the northeasterly

boundary line of Willow Court a distance of 67.4 feet to a point on the southeasterly side line of Willow Court at the boundary line between land now or formerly of Hazel A. Moriarty and Artemis Boyajian thence westerly on said southeasterly side line of Willow Court a distance of 25.5 feet to an angle point in said southeasterly side line of Willow Court thence southwesterly on said southeasterly side line of Willow Court a distance of 148.90 feet to a point of intersection of said southeasterly side line of Willow Court and the northeasterly side line of Massachusetts Avenue thence northwesterly on said northeasterly side line of Massachusetts Avenue a distance of 30 feet to the point of beginning.

Article 29. To see if the Town will accept the laying out of a Town way from end of accepted portion to Eastern Avenue, substantially in the location of the private way known as Chester Street, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments; establish said way; make an appropriation for said laying out and the construction of said way; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Said way as so laid out is bounded and described, as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the southwesterly side line of Eastern Avenue and the southeasterly side line of Chester Street, thence northwesterly, westerly and southwesterly on said southeasterly side line of Chester Street, on a curve to the left with a radius of 20 feet a distance of 30.61 feet to a point of tangency in said southeasterly side line of Chester Street, thence southwesterly on said southeasterly side line of Chester Street, a distance of 164.76 feet to a point of curve in said southeasterly side line of Chester Street, thence southwesterly on said southeasterly side line of Chester Street, on a curve to the right with a radius of 462.0 feet a distance of 57.95 feet to a point of tangency in said southeasterly side line of Chester Street thence continuing southwesterly on said southeasterly side line of Chester Street, a distance of 50.84 feet to the present end of the accepted portion of Chester Street, thence northwesterly across said Chester Street and by the end of the present accepted portion of Chester Street, a distance of 40.51 feet to a point on the northwesterly side line of Chester Street thence northeasterly on said northwesterly side line of Chester Street a distance of 57.27 feet to a point of curve in said northwesterly side line of Chester Street, thence northeasterly on said northwesterly side line of Chester Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 422.0 feet a distance of 52.93 feet to a point of tangency in said northwesterly side line of Chester Street, thence continuing northeasterly on said northwesterly side line of Chester Street, a distance of 162.02 feet to a point of curve in said northwesterly side line of Chester Street, thence northeasterly, northerly and northwesterly on said northwesterly side line of Chester Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 20 feet a distance of 32.22 feet to the point of intersection of said northwesterly side line of Chester Street and the southwesterly side line of Eastern Avenue, thence southeasterly on said southwesterly side line of Eastern Avenue a distance of 80.07 feet to the point of beginning.

Article 30. To see if the Town will accept the laying out of a Town

way from Summer Street to Berkeley Street, substantially in the location of the private way known as Harold Street, as made and filed in the office of Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments; establish said way; make an appropriation for said laying out and the construction of said way; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Said way as so laid out is bounded and described, as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northeasterly side line of Summer Street and the northwesterly side line of Harold Street thence southeasterly, easterly and northeasterly on said northwesterly side line of Harold Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 25.83 feet a distance of 39.21 feet to a point of tangency in said northwesterly side line of Harold Street thence northeasterly on said northwesterly side line of Harold Street a distance of 181.53 feet to a point of curve in said northwesterly side line of Harold Street thence northeasterly, northerly and northwesterly on said northwesterly side line of Harold Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 25 feet a distance of 39.91 feet to the point of intersection of said northwesterly side line of Harold Street and the southwesterly side line of Berkeley Street thence southeasterly on said southwesterly side line of Berkeley Street a distance of 90.02 feet to the point of intersection of said southwesterly side line of Berkeley Street and the southeasterly side line of Harold Street thence southwesterly on said southeasterly side line of Harold Street a distance of 182.72 feet to a point of curve in said southeasterly side line of Harold Street thence southwesterly, southerly and southeasterly on said southeasterly side line of Harold Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 25 feet a distance of 39.56 feet to the point of intersection of said southeasterly side line of Harold Street and the northeasterly side line of Summer Street thence northwesterly on said northeasterly side line of Summer Street a distance of 90.03 feet to the beginning.

Article 31. To see if the Town will accept the laying out of a Town way from Dorothy Road to Edith Street, substantially in the location of the private way known as Burch Street, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessments of betterments; establish said way; make an appropriation for said laying out and the construction of said way; determine the manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Said way as so laid out is bounded and described, as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the southerly side line of Dorothy Road and the easterly side line of Burch Street thence southwesterly and southerly on said easterly side line of Burch Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 25 feet a distance of 41.02 feet to a point of tangency in said easterly side line of Burch Street thence southerly on said easterly side line of Burch Street a distance of 413.39 feet to a point on said easterly side line of Burch Street at the southerly side line of Edith Street thence westerly across said Burch Street a distance of 40.09 feet to a point on the westerly side line of Burch Street thence northerly on said westerly side line of Burch Street a distance of 413.90 feet to a point of tangency in said westerly side line of Burch Street thence northwesterly and westerly on said westerly side line of

Burch Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 25 feet a distance of 37.82 feet to the point of intersection of said westerly side line of Burch Street and the southerly side line of Dorothy Road thence easterly on said southerly side line of Dorothy Road a distance of 89 feet to the point of beginning.

Article 32. To see if the Town will accept the laying out of a Town way from Summer Street to Ridge Street, substantially in the location of the private way known as Oak Hill Drive, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments; establish said way; make an appropriation for said laying out and the construction of said way; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Said way as so laid out is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the easterly side line of Summer Street and the northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence southeasterly, easterly and northeasterly on said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive on a curve to the left with a radius of 30 feet a distance of 40.66 feet to a point of tangency in said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence northeasterly on said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive a distance of 63.48 feet to a point of curve in said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence northeasterly and easterly on said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive on a curve to the right with a radius of 400 feet a distance of 111.99 feet to a point of tangency in said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence easterly on said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive a distance of 382.79 feet to a point of curve in said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence easterly and southeasterly on said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive on a curve to the right with a radius of 1250 feet a distance of 193.43 feet to a point of tangency in said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence southeasterly on said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive, a distance of 264.56 feet to a point of curve in said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence southeasterly, easterly and northeasterly on said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive on a curve to the left with a radius of 310 feet a distance of 223.40 feet to a point of tangency in said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence northeasterly on said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive a distance of 220.16 feet to a point of curve in said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence northeasterly on said northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive on a curve to the right with a radius of 106.61 feet a distance of 43.98 feet to a point on the northerly side line of Oak Hill Drive at the easterly boundary line of lot 1 thence southeasterly a distance of 89 feet more or less to an angle point at the intersection of Oak Hill Drive, Ridge Street and Cutter Hill Road thence southwesterly a distance of 62 feet more or less to the point of intersection of the southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive and the westerly side line of Cutter Hill Road thence northwesterly and westerly on said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive on a curve to the left with a radius of 25.80 feet a distance of 32.49 feet to a point of compound curve in said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence southwesterly on said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive on a curve to the left with a radius of 66.61 feet a distance of 27.40 feet to a point of tangency in said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence south-

westerly on said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive a distance of 220.16 feet to a point of curve in said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence southwesterly, westerly and northwesterly on said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive on a curve to the right with a radius of 350 feet a distance of 252.30 feet to a point of tangency in said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence northwesterly on said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive a distance of 264.56 feet to a point of curve in said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence northwesterly and westerly on said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive on a curve to the left with a radius of 1210 feet a distance of 187.24 feet to a point of tangency in said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence westerly on said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive a distance of 270.89 feet to an angle point in said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence southwesterly on said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive a distance of 88 feet more or less to an angle point in said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence westerly on said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive a distance of 22.07 feet to a point of curve in said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence westerly and southwesterly on said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive on a curve to the left with a radius of 350 feet a distance of 97.99 feet to a point of tangency in said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence southwesterly on said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive a distance of 46.46 feet to a point of curve in said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive thence southwesterly, southerly and southeasterly on said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive on a curve to the left with a radius of 30 feet a distance of 49.87 feet to the point of intersection of said southerly side line of Oak Hill Drive and the easterly side line of Summer Street thence northwesterly on said easterly side line of Summer Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 872.16 feet a distance of 107.66 feet to the point of beginning.

Article 33. To see if the Town will accept the laying out of a Town way from Bow Street to Lennon Road, substantially in the location of the private way known as Blossom Street, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments; establish said way; make an appropriation for said laying out and the construction of said way; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Said way as so laid out is bounded and described, as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northerly side line of Bow Street and the of Blossom Street a distance of 43.85 feet thence northerly on said southwesterly side line southwesterly side line of Blossom Street to a point of curve in said southwesterly side line of Blossom Street thence northerly and northwesterly on said southwesterly side line of Blossom Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 29.33 feet a distance of 20.31 feet to a point of tangency in said southwesterly side line of Blossom Street thence northwesterly on said southwesterly side line of Blossom Street a distance of 369.52 feet to the point of intersection of said southwesterly side line of Blossom Street and the center line of Lennon Road thence northeasterly across said Blossom Street and on said center line of Lennon Road a distance of 40.28 feet to the point of intersection of said center line of Lennon Road and the northeasterly side line of Blossom Street thence south-

easterly on said northeasterly side line of Blossom Street a distance of 375.07 feet to a point of curve in said northeasterly side line of Blossom Street thence southeasterly and southerly on said northeasterly side line of Blossom Street on a curve to the right with a radius of 69.33 feet a distance of 40.02 feet to a point of tangency in said northeasterly side line of Blossom Street thence southerly on said northeasterly side line of Blossom Street a distance of 40.79 feet to the point of intersection of said northeasterly side line of Blossom Street and the northerly side line of Bow Street thence southwesterly on said northerly side line of Bow Street on a curve to the right with a radius of 256.67 feet a distance of 40.13 feet to the point of beginning.

Article 34. To see if the Town will accept the laying out of a Town way from Rhinecliff Street to its present end, substantially in the location of the private way known as Florence Avenue, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments; establish said way; make an appropriation for said laying out and the construction of said way; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Said way as so laid out is bounded and described, as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northeasterly side line of Rhinecliff Street and the southeasterly side line of Florence Avenue thence southwesterly on said southeasterly side line of Florence Avenue a distance of 616.10 feet to a point on said southeasterly side line of Florence Avenue at the southwesterly boundary line of lot 361 thence northwesterly across said Florence Avenue a distance of 57.01 feet to a point on the northwesterly side line of Florence Avenue at the southwesterly boundary line of lot 362 thence northeasterly on said northwesterly side line of Florence Avenue a distance of 640.50 feet to the point of intersection of said northwesterly side line of Florence Avenue and the northeasterly side line of Rhinecliff Street thence southeasterly on said northeasterly side line of Rhinecliff Street and by the end of the present accepted portion of Florence Avenue a distance of 50.09 feet to the point of beginning.

Article 35. To see if the Town will accept the laying out of a Town way from Bow Street to Park Avenue Extension, substantially in the location of the private way known as Oakledge Street, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterment; establish said way; make an appropriation for said laying out and the construction of said way; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Said way as so laid out is bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the southeasterly side line of Park Avenue Extension and the northeasterly side line of Oakledge Street, thence southeasterly on said northeasterly side line of Oakledge Street a distance of 304.79 feet to a point of curve in said northeasterly side line of Oakledge Street, thence southeasterly on said northeasterly

side line of Oakledge Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 30.01 feet a distance of 27.24 feet to the point of intersection of said northeasterly side line of Oakledge Street and the northwesterly side line of Newland Road, thence southwesterly a distance of 12.10 feet to a point on the northerly side line of Bow Street, thence northwesterly on said northerly side line of Bow Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 315 feet a distance of 59.74 feet to the point of intersection of said northerly side line of Bow Street and the southwesterly side line of Oakledge Street, thence northwesterly on said southwesterly side line of Oakledge Street a distance of 292.05 feet to the point of intersection of said southwesterly side line of Oakledge Street and the southeasterly side line of Park Avenue Extension, thence northeasterly on said southeasterly side line of Park Avenue Extension a distance of 40.26 feet to the point of beginning.

Article 36. To see if the Town will vote to accept the laying out of a Town way from Appleton Street to Florence Avenue, substantially in the location of the private way known as Rhinecliff Street, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments; establish said way; make an appropriation for said laying out and construction of said way; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Said way as so laid out is bounded and described, as follows:

FIRST SECTION

Beginning at the point of intersection of the southerly side line of Appleton Street and the easterly side of Rhinecliff Street thence southwesterly, southerly and southeasterly on said easterly side line of Rhinecliff on a curve to the left with a radius of 20 feet a distance of 31.42 feet to a point of tangency in said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street thence southeasterly on said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street a distance of 154.28 feet to a point on said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street at the accepted portion of Valentine Road thence southwesterly across said Rhinecliff Street and by the accepted portion of Valentine Road a distance of 50.32 feet to a point on the westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street thence northwesterly on said westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street a distance of 155.0 feet to a point of curve in said westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street thence northwesterly, westerly and southwesterly on said westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 20 feet a distance of 34.05 feet to the point of intersection of said westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street and the southerly side line of Appleton Street thence northeasterly on said southerly side line of Appleton Street distances of 41.03 feet and 51.74 feet respectively to the point of beginning.

SECOND SECTION

Beginning at a point on the easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street at the present accepted portion of Valentine Road thence southeasterly on said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street a distance of 273.78 feet to a point on said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street at the north-

westerly side line of Dow Avenue thence southerly on said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street a distance of 94.03 feet to an angle point thence southeasterly on said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street a distance of 40.0 feet to a point on said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street at the southeasterly side line of Dow Avenue thence southeasterly and southerly on said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street on a curve to the right with a radius of 419.4 feet a distance of 119.19 feet to a point of tangency in said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street thence southerly on said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street a distance of 4.66 feet to a point of curve in said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street thence southerly, southwesterly on said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 477 feet a distance of 174.62 feet to a point of tangency in said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street thence southeasterly on said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street a distance of 22.77 feet to the point of intersection of said easterly side line of Rhinecliff Street and the northwesterly side line of Florence Avenue thence southwesterly on said northwesterly side line of Florence Avenue a distance of 40.07 feet to the point of intersection of said northwesterly side line of Florence Avenue and the westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street thence northwesterly on said westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street a distance of 20.39 feet to a point of curve in said westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street thence northwesterly and northerly on said westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street on a curve to the right with a radius of 517 feet a distance of 189.26 feet to the point of tangency in said westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street thence northerly on said westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street a distance of 4.66 feet to a point of curve in said westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street thence northerly and northwesterly on said westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street on a curve to the left with a radius of 379.4 feet a distance of 107.82 feet to a point of tangency in said westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street thence northwesterly on said westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street a distance of 406.06 feet to a point on said westerly side line of Rhinecliff Street at the present accepted portion of Valentine Road thence northeasterly across said Rhinecliff Street and by said accepted portion of Valentine Road a distance of 50.19 feet to the point of beginning.

Article 37. To see if the Town will make an appropriation under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, for the original construction of public ways in the Town, the laying out of which is accepted at this meeting, including land damages and the cost of pavement and sidewalks laid at the time of said construction; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating thereto.

Article 38. To see if the Town will authorize the acquisition by purchase, eminent domain or otherwise of any land easements or rights therein, including an easement or easements in land adjoining the location of any or all public ways, the laying out of which is accepted at this meeting, consisting of a right to have the land of the location protected by having the surface of such adjoining land slope from the boundary of the location; make an appropriation for such acquisition; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating thereto.

Article 39. To see if the Town will make an appropriation or appropriations to pay the claims or charges of Symmes Arlington Hospital including such claims and charges for aid, relief or care furnished prior to January 1, 1951, to persons falling into distress and standing in need of immediate relief; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating thereto.

Article 40. To see if the Town will accept Section 6E of Chapter 40, as inserted by Chapter 538 of the Acts of 1950, which act is entitled, "An Act Providing That Cities and Towns May Make Temporary Minor Repairs On Private Ways Therein In Certain Cases"; or take any action relating thereto.

(Inserted at the request of more than ten (10) registered voters)

Article 41. To see if the Town will make an appropriation for the use of the "Committee on Advanced Programming and Budgeting"; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating thereto.

Article 42. To see if the Town will acquire by purchase, eminent domain or otherwise, for the purpose of a Branch Library or for any other lawful purpose, all or any portion of the land as hereinafter described with the structures thereon; any interest or easements therein and any rights or easements of way or otherwise as appurtenant thereto and subject to or with any reservations of any rights or easements therein; make an appropriation of money for the purpose aforesaid; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating to all or any of the foregoing.

Beginning at the point of intersection of the northwesterly side line of Cleveland Street and the northeasterly side line of Massachusetts Avenue; thence northwesterly on said northeasterly side line of Massachusetts Avenue a distance of 50.02 feet to a point on said northeasterly side line of Massachusetts Avenue; thence northeasterly through Lot E and on the center line of a brick fire wall between the stores numbered 177 and 177A a distance of 51.63 feet to a point on the division line between Lot E and Lot D; thence southeasterly on said division line between Lot E and Lot D a distance of 51.33 feet to a point on the northwesterly side line of Cleveland Street; thence southwesterly on said northwesterly side line of Cleveland Street a distance of 53 feet to the point of beginning and containing 2645 square feet more or less and being the southeasterly portion of the premises shown as Lot E on a plan by L. G. Brackett & Co., Engineers, dated Dec. 10, 1927 and filed at the Registry of Deeds, East Cambridge, Mass. in Plan Book 409, P. 36.

(Inserted at the request of the Trustees of Robbins Library)

Article 43. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the School Committee to sell, demolish, alter, reconstruct, transfer the use of or otherwise dispose of the wooden building at the corner of Irving Street and Academy Street known as the Junior High School Industrial Arts; will vote to appropriate a sum or sums of money to be expended under the direction of the School Committee for such purpose,

including furniture and equipment, if any; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating to any or all of the foregoing.

(Inserted at the request of the School Committee)

Article 44. To see if the Town will vote to appropriate a sum or sums of money for alterations, improvements, or reconstruction of the present Russell School, or for the construction of a new building, including furniture and equipment; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating to any or all of the foregoing.

(Inserted at the request of the School Committee)

Article 45. To see if the Town will vote to use the building at the corner of Academy Street and Maple Street for school department administrative and maintenance facilities and for the use of any other town departments; will vote to appropriate a sum or sums of money to be expended under the direction of the School Committee for alteration, improvements, or reconstruction of said building, including furniture and equipment, for the use of said department or departments; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating to any or all of the foregoing.

(Inserted at the request of the School Committee)

Article 46. To see if the Town will appropriate a sum of money to be added to that appropriated under Article 54 of the 1946 Annual Town Meeting for the purpose of erecting an addition or additions to the present Robbins Memorial Town Hall and the alteration or reconstruction of the present interior of said Robbins Memorial Town Hall to provide for the rearrangement of Town Departmental quarters; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating to any or all of the foregoing.

Article 47. To see if the Town will transfer the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000.00) from (Mt. Pleasant Cemetery) sale of graves and lots fund to the Cemetery Commissioners for the improvement of the Town Cemetery.

(Inserted at the request of the Board of Cemetery Commissioners)

Article 48. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to investigate and consider a Fire Prevention Code for the Town of Arlington; make an appropriation for the use of said committee; determine in what manner the money shall be raised; or take any action relating thereto.

Article 49. To see if the Town will make an appropriation for the repair, maintenance and upkeep of the Honor Roll Board; determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating thereto.

Article 50. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a Committee to

investigate and consider the advisability of the erection and maintenance of central garaging for town vehicles; make an appropriation for the use of said Committee; or take any action relating thereto.

Article 51. To see if the Town will vote to instruct the Selectmen to review the precinct boundaries of the Town, or take any action relating thereto.

(Inserted at the request of more than ten (10) registered voters)

Article 52. To see if the Town will amend its Zoning By-Laws by altering the zoning map therein referred to so as to include in the Business A District all or any part of the area now included in the Residence B District, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northwesterly property line of lots situated on the northwesterly side of Sunnyside Avenue said point being a distance of 100.00 feet perpendicularly from the northeasterly side line of Broadway and being the point of intersection of said northwesterly property lines and a line 100.00 feet from and parallel to the northeasterly side line of Broadway; thence northeasterly along the said northwesterly property lines, the said northwesterly lines being 110.00 feet from and parallel to the said northwesterly side line of Sunnyside Avenue, a distance of 303.45 feet to a point, said point being the intersection of the northwesterly property line of lot C and the southwesterly property line of lot 50; thence northwesterly along the southwesterly property lines of lots 50, 49, R, 47, and Pt. 17 a distance of 212.75 feet to a point, said point being the intersection of the southwesterly property lines of lot 17 and the southeasterly property line of lot 9; thence southwesterly along the southeasterly property lines of lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 a distance of 300.00 feet to a point, said point being the intersection of the southeasterly and southwesterly property line of lot 14; thence northwesterly along the said southwesterly property line of lot 14 a distance of 92.10 feet to the southeasterly side line of Silk Street; thence southwesterly along said side line of Silk Street 48.29 feet to a point, which point is on the line previously designated as being parallel to Broadway and 100.00 feet therefrom; thence southeasterly along said line, said line also being the division line of the Business A District and the Residence B District, a distance of 298.31 feet to the point of beginning and containing 71,394 square feet more or less area all as shown on Block Plan No. 33 on file in the office of the Town Engineer, Arlington, Massachusetts.

(Inserted at the request of more than ten (10) registered voters)

Article 53. To see if the Town will approve legislation now filed with the General Court which would restrict use of land in the Town abutting the highway now known as Route 2 or Concord Turnpike to a depth of 200 feet from either sideline of said highway to agricultural and single residence purposes, except those portions of said land in the Town lying easterly of Lake Street; or take any other action relating thereto.

(Inserted at the request of the Planning Board)

Article 54. To see if the Town will amend its Zoning By-Law by

altering the zoning map therein referred to so as to include in the Business A District all or any part of the area now included in the Residence B District and being bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the Northerly side line of Concord Turnpike and the Easterly side line of land of Foley; thence running Northerly by land of Foley and Lee a distance of 318.44 feet to the Southwesterly corner of Lot L; thence Northerly by land of Lee along the Westerly side line of Lot L a distance of 100 feet to the Southerly side line of Dorothy Road; thence Easterly on said Southerly side line of Dorothy Road a distance of 300 feet to the Northerly corner of Lot G; thence Southerly on the lot line between Lot G and Lot 23 a distance of 100 feet; thence Easterly by Lots 23, 24 and 24A, 207, 206, 205, Parker Street, 204 and 203, a distance of 406.36 feet to a point; thence Southerly by the rear line of Lots 317, 316 and 315 a distance of 178.95 feet to the Southwesterly corner of Lot 315; thence Easterly along the Southerly line of said Lot 315 a distance of 110 feet to a point in the center line of Burch Street; thence Southerly along said Center line of Burch Street a distance of 174.55 feet to an angle point; thence continuing Southerly by land of Pearl and land of the Town of Arlington a distance of 678.58 feet to the Northerly side line of Concord Turnpike; thence Northwesterly along said Northerly side line of Concord Turnpike a distance of 1277.43 feet to the point of beginning. All as shown on a Plan of Land in Arlington, Mass. Scale 1" = 80', Dec. 1950 G.B. Northrup C. E. Belmont.

(Inserted at the request of more than ten (10) registered voters)

Article 55. To see if the Town will vote to appoint a committee to investigate, consider and make recommendations relative to amending the by-laws of the Town by inserting a provision that when any article in the Warrant is under consideration, the meeting may vote by ballot upon such article; make an appropriation for the use of said committee, or take any action relative thereto.

(Inserted at the request of more than ten (10) registered voters)

Article 56. To see if the Town will amend Section 8 of Article 2 of the Town's By-Laws by inserting a new sentence after the first sentence to read: "A motion to reconsider must be made by a town meeting member who has voted with the prevailing side.", or take any action relating thereto.

(Inserted at the request of more than ten (10) registered voters)

Article 57. To see if the Town will amend Section 9 of Article 2 of the Town's By-Laws by striking out the words "Cushing's Manual" and inserting in place thereof the words "Robert's Rules of Order," or take any action relating thereto.

(Inserted at the request of more than ten (10) registered voters)

Article 58. To see if the Town will accept Section 6A of Chapter 40 of the General Laws of Massachusetts (Tercentenary Edition) known as "Municipal advertising" or take any action relating thereto.

(Inserted at the request of more than ten (10) registered voters)

Article 59. To see if the Town will vote to make an appropriation for the purpose of providing ornamental and additional light to the town during the Christmas Holiday Season; determine in what manner the funds shall be raised and expended; or take any action relating thereto.

(Inserted at the request of more than ten (10) registered voters)

Article 60. To see if the Town of Arlington will release all right, title and interest in and to certain flowage rights acquired under a deed from George Flint et als to the Town dated January 4, 1888, recorded in Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Book 1836, Page 468.

(Inserted at the request of more than ten (10) registered voters)

Article 61. To hear and act upon the report and Legislative Act proposed by the Committee appointed by the Moderator in pursuance of the vote of the Town passed October 4, 1950, under Article 2 for the Special Town Meeting in 1950, such proposed legislation being substantially as follows:

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TOWN MANAGER FORM OF GOVERNMENT FOR THE TOWN OF ARLINGTON

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by authority of the same, as follows:

SECTION 1. Upon the acceptance of this act by the Town of Arlington, as hereinafter provided, beginning with the year following its adoption, the regular town election of said town for the purpose of electing town officers including Town Meeting members, in accordance with the provisions of this act, and for the submission of questions to the voters of the town, if required to be submitted thereat, shall be held annually on the first Monday in March, and shall be considered part of the annual town meeting held in that year. All articles in the warrant for any regular town meeting to be acted upon and determined otherwise than by ballot shall be considered at a town meeting to be held annually on the third Monday of March at eight o'clock in the evening.

SECTION 2. ELECTION OF MODERATOR. The office shall continue as presently provided in said town.

SECTION 3. ELECTION OF SELECTMEN. At the first annual election held in said town after the acceptance of this act, the number of selectmen shall be increased to five. Such increase shall be effected in the following manner: the two members of the Board of Selectmen whose terms have not then expired shall continue as such members until the expiration of the terms for which they were respectively elected, and at such annual election there shall be elected one selectman for one year, one for two years, and one for three years; and at each annual election thereafter, the town shall elect successors of the members whose terms have expired for the terms of three

years. They shall serve until their successors are elected and qualified. When a vacancy occurs among the selectmen for any reason other than expiration of term, the remaining selectmen and the moderator, within 30 days after such vacancy occurs, shall appoint another selectman to fill the vacancy until the next town election, at which the voters shall elect a selectman for the remainder of the unexpired term. A majority of the ballots of the officers entitled to vote shall be necessary to such appointment.

SECTION 4. APPOINTIVE POWERS OF SELECTMEN. The selectmen shall appoint and may remove election officers, the boards of appeal, the registrars of voters, except the town clerk as a registrar, and the town accountant.

SECTION 5. ELECTION OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE. The election of the school committee shall continue as presently provided in Arlington. When a vacancy occurs in the membership of the school committee, the remaining members of the school committee shall, after one week's notice, fill such vacancy by ballot. A majority of the ballots of the members entitled to vote shall be necessary to such election. The person so appointed shall perform the duties of the office until the next annual election, at which the voters shall elect a member of the school committee for the remainder of the unexpired term.

SECTION 6. POWERS OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE. Nothing in this act shall be construed to affect the powers and duties of the school committee as provided by law, except as specifically provided herein.

SECTION 7. ELECTION OF HOUSING AUTHORITY. The election of the elected members of the Arlington Housing Authority shall continue as presently provided.

SECTION 8. ELECTION OF OTHER OFFICERS. The election of Town Clerk, Treasurer and Town Collector, and Assessors shall continue as presently provided. Notwithstanding the election of the officers named in this section, by voters of the town, they shall be subject to the call of the manager for consultation, conference and discussion on matters relating to their respective offices.

SECTION 9. MULTIPLE OFFICERS. A member of the board of selectmen, or of the school committee, or of the finance committee shall, during the term for which he was elected or appointed, be ineligible either by election or appointment to hold any other town office. Any person appointed by the town manager to any town office under the provisions of this act or of any general or special law shall be eligible during the term of said office to appointment to any other town office, except that the town accountant shall not be eligible to hold the position of town treasurer and collector. The town manager may, subject to any applicable provision of the General Laws, relating thereto, assume the duties of any office which he is authorized to fill by appointment.

SECTION 10. INVESTIGATIONS OR SURVEYS. For the purpose of making investigations or surveys, the selectmen may employ such experts, counsel and other assistants and incur such other expenses, not exceeding in any year the sum of one thousand dollars, or such larger sum as may be appropriated for the purpose by the town, as they may deem necessary, and the same shall be paid by the treasurer upon a warrant signed by a majority of the board of selectmen.

TOWN MANAGER

SECTION 11. APPOINTMENT OF TOWN MANAGER. The selectmen elected as provided herein shall appoint, as soon as practicable, for a term of three years, a town manager who shall be a professionally qualified person especially fitted by education, training and experience to perform the duties of the office and shall have at least three years experience as a city or town manager. The town manager shall be appointed without regard to his political beliefs. He shall be a resident of the town during his term of office. He may be appointed for successive terms of office. Before entering upon the duties of his office, the town manager shall be sworn to the faithful and impartial performance thereof by the chairman of the selectmen, or by the town clerk, or by a justice of the peace. He shall execute a bond in favor of the town for the faithful performance of his duties in such sum and with such surety or sureties as may be fixed or approved by the selectmen.

SECTION 12. ACTING MANAGER. The town manager may designate, by letter filed with the town clerk, a qualified officer of the town to perform his duties during his temporary absence or disability except during removal proceedings. In the event of failure of the manager to make such designation, the selectmen may, by resolution, designate an officer of the town to perform the duties of the manager until he shall return or his disability shall cease.

SECTION 13. REMOVAL OF MANAGER. The selectmen, by a majority vote of the full membership of the board, may remove the town manager. At least 20 days before such proposed removal shall become effective, the selectmen shall file a preliminary written resolution with the town clerk setting forth in detail the specific reasons for the proposed removal of the town manager, a copy of which resolution shall be delivered to the town manager. The manager, within 20 days after notice, so filed, may reply in writing to the resolution and may request a public hearing. If the manager so requests, the board of selectmen shall hold a public hearing not earlier than twenty days nor later than thirty days after the filing of such request. The manager shall have the right to representation by counsel, to produce witnesses and exhibits on his behalf, and to cross examine witnesses. After such public hearing, if any, otherwise at the expiration of thirty days following the filing of the preliminary resolution, and after full consideration, the selectmen by a majority vote of the full membership of the board may adopt a final resolution of removal. In the preliminary resolution, the selectmen may suspend the manager from duty, but in any case his salary shall continue to be paid until the expiration of one month from the date of adoption of the final resolution of removal.

SECTION 14. COMPENSATION OF MANAGER. The town manager shall receive such compensation for his services as the selectmen shall determine but it shall not exceed the amount appropriated therefor by the town.

SECTION 15. POWERS AND DUTIES OF MANAGER. In addition to the specific powers and duties provided in this act the town manager shall have the general powers and duties enumerated in this section:

(a) The town manager shall supervise and direct the administration of all department, commissions, boards and offices, except the board of selectmen, the school committee, moderator, town clerk, town treasurer and collector, assessors, and boards of appeal.

(b) The town manager, in accordance with the provisions of this act and except as otherwise expressly prohibited by the General Laws, may reorganize, consolidate or abolish departments, commissions, boards or offices under his direction and supervision, in whole or in part, may establish such new departments, commissions boards and offices as he deems necessary, and may transfer the duties and powers of one department, commission, board or office to another and may, with the approval and consent of the Finance Committee, transfer the appropriation of one department, commission, board or office to another.

(c) Except as otherwise provided by this act, the town manager shall appoint upon merit and fitness alone, and, subject to the provisions of chapter thirty-one of the General Laws where applicable, and except as otherwise provided herein, he may transfer and remove all officers and employees of the town, except employees of the school department but this exception shall not apply to maintenance employees of the school department; town officers and full-time employees not subject to the provisions of said chapter thirty-one shall not be removed by him except on ten working days notice in writing to said officer or employee, setting forth the cause of such removal.

(d) Subject to all applicable provisions of chapter thirty-one of the General Laws, and subject to the classification plan as established now or hereafter by the Town By-Laws, the town manager shall fix the compensation of all town officers and employees subject to removal by him.

(e) The town manager shall keep full and complete records of his office, and shall render as often as may be required by the selectmen a full report of his management during the period reported on.

(f) The town manager shall keep the selectmen fully advised as to the needs of the town and shall recommend to the selectmen for adoption such measures requiring action by them or by the town as he may deem necessary or expedient.

(g) The town manager shall have jurisdiction over the rental and

use of all town property, except schools. He shall be responsible for the maintenance and repair of all town property, including school buildings. Except as otherwise voted by the town, he shall be responsible for the preparation of plans and the supervision of work on all construction, reconstruction, alterations, improvements and other undertakings authorized by the town, subject, however, to the approval of the school committee with respect to plans for the construction or improvement of school buildings or property.

(h) The town manager shall purchase all supplies and materials and equipment, except educational supplies, and books for schools, and books for libraries. He shall make purchases for departments not under his supervision only in accordance with requisitions duly signed by the heads of such departments. The town manager may delegate such purchasing power. Except as otherwise herein provided, he may award all contracts for all departments of the town.

(i) The town manager shall administer either directly or through a person or persons appointed by him in accordance with this act all provisions of general and special laws applicable to said town, all by-laws and all regulations established by the selectmen.

(k) The town manager shall, with the approval of the Selectmen, have authority to prosecute, defend, and compromise all litigation to which the town is a party, and to employ special counsel to assist the town counsel whenever in his judgement it may be necessary.

(l) The town manager shall perform such other duties, consistent with his office, as may be required of him by the by-laws or vote of the town or by vote of the selectmen.

SECTION 16. INVESTIGATIONS BY THE MANAGER. The town manager may without notice cause the affairs of any division or department under his control or the conduct of any officer or employee thereof to be examined. The town manager shall have access to all town books and papers for information necessary for the proper performance of his duties.

SECTION 17. APPOINTMENT OF PLANNING BOARD. The town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, shall appoint a planning board to consist of five suitably qualified persons. One of said persons shall be appointed for a term of one year, two for a term of two years, and two for a term of three years; and annually thereafter there shall be appointed by the town manager subject to the approval of the board of selectmen a member for a term of three years in place of the member whose term is to expire. The members shall serve until their successors are appointed and qualified. If for any reason a vacancy occurs in the membership of the planning board, the vacancy shall be filled forthwith by the town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, for the unexpired term. Upon the appointment and qualification of the members of the planning board as provided in this section the terms of office of the members of the then existing planning board of the town shall terminate. The planning board appointed hereunder shall organize for the proper conduct of

their duties and shall possess all the powers and rights and be subject to all the duties and liabilities conferred or imposed upon planning boards of towns, but in the performance of their duties they shall be subject to the general supervision and direction of the town manager. They shall be sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the town clerk or by a justice of the peace.

SECTION 18. APPOINTMENT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE. The town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, shall appoint a board of public welfare to consist of three suitably qualified persons. One of said persons shall be appointed for a term of one year, one for a term of two years, and one for a term of three years; and annually thereafter there shall be appointed by the town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, a member for a term of three years in the place of the member whose term is to expire. The members shall serve until their successors are appointed and qualified. If for any reason a vacancy occurs in the membership of the board of public welfare, the vacancy shall be filled forthwith by the town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, for the unexpired term. Upon the appointment and qualification of the members of the board of public welfare as provided in this section the terms of office of the members of the then existing board of public welfare of the town shall terminate. The board of public welfare appointed hereunder shall organize for the proper conduct of their duties and shall possess all the powers and rights and be subject to all the duties and liabilities conferred or imposed upon boards of public welfare of towns, but in the performance of their duties they shall be subject to the general supervision and direction of the town manager. They shall be sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the town clerk or by a justice of the peace.

SECTION 19. APPOINTMENT OF BOARD OF HEALTH. The town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, shall appoint a board of health to consist of three suitably qualified persons. One of said persons shall be appointed for a term of one year, one for a term of two years, and one for a term of three years; and annually thereafter there shall be appointed by the town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, a member for a term of three years in the place of the member whose term is to expire. The members shall serve until their successors are appointed and qualified. If for any reason a vacancy occurs in the membership of the board of health, the vacancy shall be filled forthwith by the town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, for the unexpired term. Upon the appointment and qualification of the members of the board of health as provided in this section, the terms of office of the members of the then existing board of health of the town shall terminate. The board of health appointed hereunder shall organize for the proper conduct of their duties and shall possess all the powers and rights and be subject to all the duties and liabilities conferred or imposed by law upon boards of health of towns, but in the performance of their duties they shall be subject to the general supervision and direction of the town manager. They shall be sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the town clerk or by a justice of the peace.

SECTION 20. APPOINTMENT OF BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS. The town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, shall appoint a board of park commissioners to consist of three suitably qualified persons. One of said persons shall be appointed for a term of one year, one for a term of two years, and one for a term of three years; and annually thereafter there shall be appointed by the town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, a member for a term of three years in the place of the member whose term is to expire. The members shall serve until their successors are appointed and qualified. If for any reason a vacancy occurs in the membership of the board of park commissioners, the vacancy shall be filled forthwith by the town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, for the unexpired term. Upon the appointment and qualification of the members of the board of park commissioners as provided in this section, the terms of office of the members of the then existing board of park commissioners of the town shall terminate. The board of park commissioners appointed hereunder shall organize for the proper conduct of their duties and shall possess all the powers and rights and be subject to all the duties and liabilities conferred or imposed by law upon the board of park commissioners of towns, but in the performance of their duties they shall be subject to the general supervision and direction of the town manager. They shall be sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the town clerk or by a justice of the peace.

SECTION 21. APPOINTMENT OF BOARD OF CEMETERY COMMISSIONERS. The town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, shall appoint a board of cemetery commissioners to consist of three suitably qualified persons. One of said persons shall be appointed for a term of one year, one for a term of two years, and one for a term of three years; and annually thereafter there shall be appointed by the town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, a member for a term of three years in the place of the member whose term is to expire. The members shall serve until their successors are appointed and qualified. If for any reason a vacancy occurs in the membership of the board of cemetery commissioners, the vacancy shall be filled forthwith by the town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, for the unexpired term. Upon the appointment and qualification of the members of the board of cemetery commissioners as provided in this section the terms of office of the members of the then existing board of cemetery commissioners of the town shall terminate. The board of cemetery commissioners appointed hereunder shall organize for the proper conduct of their duties and shall possess all the powers and rights and be subject to all the duties and liabilities conferred or imposed by law upon boards of cemetery commissioners of towns, but in the performance of their duties they shall be subject to the general supervision and direction of the town manager. They shall have administration of all cemetery trust funds. They shall be sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the town clerk or by a justice of the peace.

SECTION 22. APPOINTMENT OF BOARD OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES. The town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, shall appoint a board of Library trustees to consist of five suitably qualified persons. One of said persons shall be appointed

for a term of one year, two for a term of two years, and two for a term of three years; and annually thereafter there shall be appointed by the town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, a member for a term of three years in the place of the member whose term is to expire. The members shall serve until their successors are appointed and qualified. If for any reason a vacancy occurs in the membership of the board of library trustees, the vacancy shall be filled forthwith by the town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, for the unexpired term. Upon the appointment and qualification of the members of the board of library trustees as provided in this section to the terms of office of the then existing board of library trustees shall terminate. The board of library trustees appointed hereunder shall organize for the proper conduct of their duties and shall possess all the powers and rights and be subject to the duties and liabilities conferred or imposed by law upon boards of library trustees of towns, but in the performance of their duties they shall be subject to the general supervision and direction of the town manager. They shall have administration of all library trust funds. They shall be sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the town clerk or a justice of the peace.

SECTION 23. APPOINTMENT OF BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF TRUST FUNDS. The town manager, subject to the approval of the Board of selectmen, shall appoint a board of commissioners of trust funds to consist of three suitably qualified persons. One of said persons shall be appointed for a term of one year, one for a term of two years, and one for a term of three years; and annually thereafter there shall be appointed by the town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, a member for a term of three years in the place of the member whose term is to expire. The members shall serve until their successors are appointed and qualified. If for any reason a vacancy occurs in the membership of the board of commissioners of trust funds, the vacancy shall be filled forthwith by the town manager, subject to the approval of the board of selectmen, for the unexpired term. Upon the appointment and qualification of the members of the board of commissioners of trust funds, as provided in this section the terms of office of the then existing trustees of trust funds of the town shall terminate. The board of commissioners of trust funds appointed hereunder shall organize for the proper conduct of their duties and shall possess all the powers and rights and be subject to all the duties and liabilities conferred or imposed by law upon boards of commissioners of trust funds of towns, but in the performance of their duties they shall be subject to the general supervision and direction of the town manager. They shall have administration of all trust funds of the town except the cemetery trust funds and the library trust funds. They shall be sworn to the faithful performance of their duties by the chairman of the selectmen or by a justice of the peace.

SECTION 24. APPOINTMENT OF PERSONNEL BOARD. The moderator shall appoint a personnel board consisting of five members, who shall be citizens and registered voters of the town, and two of which members shall be town employees from two different departments but not elected by the town, and who are nominees of a majority of the employees of the town present at a meeting duly called for the purpose of such nominations. One member of the board.

shall be appointed for a term of one year; two for terms of two years; and two for terms of three years, and thereafter each appointment shall be for a term of three years. It shall be the duty of this Board to administer the pay and classification plans now or hereafter provided in the town by-laws when not inconsistent herewith.

SECTION 25. TREE WARDEN. The town manager shall appoint a suitably qualified person to the office of tree warden. The existing elective office of tree warden shall be continued until the person appointed to said office of tree warden shall have qualified; at which time the elective office of tree warden shall terminate. The tree warden shall have the powers, perform the duties, and be subject to the liabilities and penalties now or hereafter conferred or imposed by law upon tree wardens but in the conduct of his office he shall be subject to the supervision and direction of the town manager. The tree warden shall be sworn to the faithful performance of his duties by the town clerk or a justice of the peace.

SECTION 26. The board of public works shall be abolished and the offices terminated and Chapter 3 of the Acts of 1904 is hereby repealed. The duties, liabilities and obligations contained and provided for therein shall be administered in accordance with existing General Laws relative thereto when not inconsistent with the provisions contained herein.

SECTION 27. DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS. There shall be established a Department of Public Works as herein provided. Amongst other duties and responsibilities, the collection and removal of refuse, garbage and offal shall be the duties of this department. The town manager shall appoint a suitably qualified person to the office of Superintendent of Public Works. The Superintendent of Public Works in office when this act becomes effective shall continue in office subject to the provisions of chapter thirty-one of the general laws, if applicable, but otherwise subject to removal by the town manager as provided herein. The superintendent of public works shall have the powers, perform the duties and be subject to the liabilities and penalties now or hereafter imposed by law upon a superintendent of streets in towns and such other duties as may be assigned to him. In the performance of his duties he shall be subject to the general supervision and direction of the town manager. He shall be sworn to the faithful performance of his duties by the town clerk or by a justice of the peace. The town manager shall establish such divisions and subordinate offices within the department of public works as he deems necessary and shall prescribe the powers, rights, duties and liabilities of the same.

LEGAL AFFAIRS

SECTION 28. APPOINTMENT OF TOWN COUNSEL. The town manager shall appoint annually an attorney-at-law who is a resident of said town to act as town counsel, whose duties it shall be to commence and prosecute all actions and other proceedings on behalf of the town, and to defend all action and proceedings brought against the town or any of its officers in their official capacity as such. He shall also appear before legislative committees, other boards, commissions and

public officials or bodies, on behalf of the town whenever his services may be required. He shall prepare all contracts, deeds and other legal instruments of the town. Upon request by the town manager or by any other officer or board of the town on a subject concerning the town or related to the performance of the official duties of such officer or board, he shall furnish a legal opinion thereon; but whenever the opinion is required to be in writing, the question submitted for his consideration shall also be in writing. He shall perform such other legal services as may be requested of him, by vote of the town, the board of selectmen, or the town manager.

FISCAL AFFAIRS

SECTION 29. APPROVAL OF WARRANTS. The town manager shall be the chief fiscal officer of the town. Warrants for the payment of town funds prepared by the town accountant in accordance with the provisions of section fifty-six of chapter forty-one of the General Laws shall be submitted to the town manager. The approval of any such warrant by the town manager shall be sufficient authority to authorize payment by the town treasurer, but the selectmen shall approve all warrants in the event of the absence of the town manager or a vacancy in the office of the town manager.

SECTION 30. INVESTIGATION OF CLAIMS. Whenever any payroll, bill or other claim against the town is presented to the town manager he shall, if the same seems to him to be of doubtful validity, excessive in amount, or otherwise contrary to the interests of the town, refer it to the selectmen who shall immediately investigate the facts and determine what, if any, payment should be made. Pending such investigation and determination by the selectmen, payment shall be withheld.

SECTION 31. CERTAIN TOWN OFFICERS NOT TO MAKE CONTRACTS WITH THE TOWN. It shall be unlawful for any selectman, the town manager, any member of the school committee, any trustee of the public library, or any other elective or appointive official, except as otherwise provided by this act or any other provision of law, directly or indirectly to make a contract with the town, or to receive any commissions, discount, bonus, gift, contribution or reward from, or any share in the profits of any person or corporation making or performing such a contract unless the official concerned, immediately upon learning of the existence of such contract, or that such a contract is proposed, shall notify the selectmen in writing of the contract and of the nature of his interest therein and shall abstain from doing any official act on behalf of the town in reference thereto. In case such interest exists on the part of an officer whose duty is to make such a contract on behalf of the town, the contract may be made by another officer or voter of the town duly authorized thereto by vote of the selectmen. Violation of any provisions of this section shall render the contract in respect to which such violation occurs voidable at the option of the town. Any persons violating any provisions of this section shall be punished by a fine of not more than one thousand dollars, or by imprisonment for not more than one year, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

SECTION 32. ESTIMATES OF EXPENDITURES. On or before

the first day of November of each year, the town manager shall submit to the selectmen a careful, detailed estimate in writing of the probable expenditures of the town government for the ensuing fiscal year, stating the amount required to meet the interest and maturing bonds and notes or other outstanding indebtedness of the town, and showing specifically the amount necessary to be provided for each fund and department, together with a statement of the expenditures of the town for the same purposes in the two preceeding years and an estimate for the expenditures for the current year. He shall also submit a statement showing all revenues received by the town in the two preceeding fiscal years together with an estimate of the receipts of the current year and an estimate of the amount of income from all sources of revenue exclusive of taxes upon property in the ensuing year. He shall report the probable amount required to be levied and raised by taxation to defray all expenses and liabilities of the town together with an estimate of the tax rate necessary to raise said amount. For the purpose of enabling the town manager to make up the annual estimates of expenditures, all boards, officers, and committees of the town shall, upon his written request, furnish all information in their possession and submitted to him in writing a detailed estimate of the appropriations required for the efficient and proper conduct of their respective departments during the next fiscal year.

SECTION 33. ANNUAL BUDGET. The selectmen shall consider the tentative budget submitted by the town manager and make such recommendations relative thereto as they deem expedient and proper in the interests of the town. On or before the first day of December of each year the selectmen shall transmit a copy of the budget together with their recommendations relative thereto to each member of the finance committee.

FINANCE COMMITTEE

SECTION 34. APPOINTMENT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE. There shall be a finance committee the members of which shall be registered voters of the town. There shall be one from each precinct of the town and one member at large except if the number of precincts at any time is uneven in number, there shall be no member at large. Except as in hereafter provided, the finance committee shall be appointed by an appointing committee of three members, composed of the moderator, the chairman of the finance committee, and the chairman of the board of trust fund commissioners, within twenty days after the final adjournment of the annual town meeting. They shall be constituted and function as provided now or hereafter in the by-laws of the town when not inconsistent herewith. Those members of the finance committee when this act takes effect whose terms have not expired shall continue until expiration thereof. Vacancies shall be filled by the appointing power as provided now or hereafter by the town by-laws. All department budgets shall be submitted to the finance committee annually by the first day of December.

SECTION 35. FREE ACCESS TO FINANCIAL DATA. In the discharge of its duty, said committee shall have free access to all books of records and accounts, payrolls, bills and vouchers on which money has been or may be paid from the town treasury. Officers, boards and committees of the town shall, upon request, furnish said committee

with facts, figures and any other information pertaining to their several activities.

SECTION 36. ANNUAL REPORT. It shall be the duty of the finance committee to make an annual report of its doings, with recommendations relative to financial matters and the conduct of town business, which shall be included in the annual town report.

SECTION 37. HOLDER OF AN ELECTIVE OFFICE MAY BE RECALLED. And holder of an elective office may be recalled therefrom by the registered voters of the town as herein provided.

SECTION 38. RECALL PETITION, PREPARATION, FILING. Any fifty registered voters of the town may file with the town clerk an affidavit containing the name of the officer sought to be recalled and a statement of the grounds for recall. The town clerk shall thereupon deliver to said voters making the affidavit copies of petitions blanks demanding such recall, printed forms of which he shall keep available. The blanks shall be issued by the town clerk with his signature and official seal attached thereto. They shall be dated, shall be addressed to the selectmen, and shall contain the names of the fifty persons to whom they are issued, the name of the person whose recall is sought, the grounds of recall as stated in the affidavit, and shall demand the election of a successor in said office. A copy of the petition shall be entered in a record book to be kept in the office of the town clerk within twenty days after the filing of the affidavit, and shall have been signed by at least twenty per cent of the registered voters of the town, who shall add to their signatures the street and number, if any, of their residences.

The town clerk shall submit the petition to the registrars of voters in the town, and the registrars shall forthwith certify thereon the number of signatures which are names of registered voters of the town.

SECTION 39. REMOVAL AND ELECTION. If the petition shall be found and certified by the town clerk to be sufficient, he shall submit the same with his certificate to the selectmen without delay, and the selectmen shall forthwith give written notice of receipt of the certificate to the officer sought to be recalled, and shall, if the officer does not resign within five days thereafter, thereupon order an election to be held on a Tuesday fixed by them not less than twenty-five nor more than thirty-five days after the date of the town clerk's certificate that a sufficient petition is filed; provided, however, that if any other town election is to occur within sixty days after the date of the certificate, the selectmen shall postpone the holding of the recall election to the date of such other election. If a vacancy occurs in said office after a recall election has been ordered, the election shall nevertheless proceed as provided in this act.

SECTION 40. NOMINATION OF CANDIDATES. The question of recalling any number of officers may be submitted at the same election. But as to each officer whose recall is sought there shall be a separate ballot. The nomination of candidates to succeed an officer whose recall is sought, the publication of the warrant for the recall

election and the conduct of such election shall all be in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws applicable thereto.

SECTION 41. BALLOTS. Ballots used in a recall election shall submit the following propositions in the order indicated:

For the recall of (name of officer).

Against the recall of (name of officer).

Immediately at the right of each proposition there shall be a square in which the voter, by making a cross mark (X), may vote for either of the said propositions. Under the proposition shall appear the word "Candidates," the directions to voters required by section four of chapter fifty-four A of the General Laws, and beneath this the names of candidates nominated as hereinbefore provided.

SECTION 42. ELECTION. If a majority of the votes cast on the question of recalling an officer shall be against his recall, he shall continue in office but subject to recall as provided in this act. If a majority of such votes be for the recall of the officer designated on the ballot, he shall, regardless of any defects in the recall petition be deemed removed from office. When an officer is recalled from office, the candidate to succeed the officer recalled shall be determined in accordance with the provisions of General Laws applicable thereto.

SECTION 43. ELECTION IN EVENT OF RESIGNATION. If an office in regard to which a sufficient recall petition is filed becomes vacant before the ballots are printed, the election shall be held as hereinbefore provided, except that the title of the ballot shall be "Town Election", that the propositions in regard to the recall shall be omitted from the ballot, and that above the names of the candidates there shall appear on the ballot the words "Candidates to succeed (Name of officer) resigned." (If he resigned his office).

SECTION 44. SUBSEQUENT RECALL. No recall petition shall be filed against an officer within three months after he takes office, nor in the case of an officer subjected to a recall election and not recalled thereby, until at least three months after the election at which his recall was submitted to the voters of the town.

SECTION 45. PERSON RECALLED NOT TO BE APPOINTED TO ANY TOWN OFFICE WITHIN TWO YEARS. No person who has been recalled from an office, or who has resigned from office while recall proceedings were pending against him, shall be appointed to any town office within two years after such recall or such resignation.

SECTION 46. DUTIES OF CERTAIN TOWN OFFICIALS RELATIVE TO ELECTION. It shall be the duty of the selectmen and the town clerk in office and any other town official upon whom by reason of his office a duty devolves under the provisions of this act, when this act is accepted by the registered voters as herein provided, to comply with all the requirements of law relating to elections, to the end that all things may be done necessary for the nomination and election of the officers first to be elected under this act.

SECTION 47. BY-LAWS, RULES, ETC. All laws, by-laws, rules and regulations in force in the town of Arlington when this act takes effect, not inconsistent with its provisions, whether enacted by authority of the town or any other authority, shall continue in full force and effect until otherwise provided by law, by-law, or vote; all other laws, by-laws, rules and regulations so far as they refer to the town of Arlington, are hereby repealed and annulled, but such repeal shall not revive any pre-existing enactment.

SECTION 48. SUBMISSION OF ACT AND TIME OF TAKING EFFECT. This act shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the Town of Arlington for acceptance at the next election to be held in the town of Arlington. The vote shall be taken by ballot in answer to the following question which shall be printed on the official ballot: "Shall an act passed by the general court in the year nineteen hundred and fifty-one entitled 'An act establishing a Town Manager form of Government for the Town of Arlington be accepted?'" If this act shall be accepted by a majority of the qualified voters voting thereon, it shall take effect immediately following the next annual town election for the purpose of the appointment by the selectmen as herein provided of a town manager. All budgets and estimates of appropriations required for the current fiscal year prepared by heads of departments under his control prior to the annual town meeting shall be subject to the supervision and approval of the town manager. Upon acceptance by a majority of the qualified voters as herein provided, this act shall also take effect for the purposes of the annual meeting for the year following its acceptance and for all things that pertain to said election, and shall take full effect upon the election and qualification of the selectmen, except as herein provided. If this act is rejected by the qualified voters of the town of Arlington when first submitted to said voters under this section, it shall be submitted for acceptance in like manner to such voters at the next town election in said town, and if it is not accepted at said town election, it shall again be submitted for acceptance in like manner to such voters at the next following town election, and, if accepted by a majority of such voters voting thereon at either of said elections, shall take effect as hereinbefore provide.

SECTION 49. REVOCATION OF ACCEPTANCE. At any time after the expiration of three years from the date on which this act is accepted, and not less than sixty days before the date of an annual meeting, a petition, signed by not less than twenty per cent of the registered voters of the town, may be filed with the selectmen, requesting that the question of revoking the acceptance of this act be submitted to the voters. Thereupon the selectmen shall cause the question of revocation of the acceptance to be placed on the ballot at the next annual election. At said election the vote shall be taken in answer to the following question which shall be printed on the official ballot: "Shall the acceptance by the town of Arlington of an act passed by the General Court in the year nineteen hundred and fifty-one, entitled 'An act establishing a Town Manager form of Government for the Town of Arlington' be revoked?" If such revocation is favored by a majority of the voters voting thereon by ballot, the acceptance of this act shall be revoked and this act shall become null and void beginning with the annual town meeting next following such vote, which meeting shall be held at such time, in conformity with general law, as may be determined by vote of the town; provided, that all town officers holding office under this act shall continue

to hold office until their successors have been duly qualified. At the first annual town election following such vote of revocation the registered voters of the town shall elect by ballot all elective officers and boards whose election to office was required prior to the acceptance of this act and the terms of office shall be so arranged that there shall be elected annually thereafter such officers as were elected annually prior to the acceptance of this act. It shall be the duty of the selectmen and the town clerk in office and any other town official upon whom by reason of his office a duty revolves when this act is revoked, to comply with all the requirements of this section relating to elections, to the end that all things may be done necessary for the nomination and election of the officers required to be elected following the revocation of this act. The said revocation shall not affect any contract then existing or any action at law or any suit in equity or any other proceedings then pending, with the exception of any contract made by the town with the town manager then in office, whose office shall be abolished immediately upon such vote, but who shall receive three months' compensation from such date following such revocation. The board of selectmen shall be charged with all the powers and duties of the town manager which duties and responsibilities may discharge by themselves or by a temporary town manager appointed by them. Any special laws relative to said town which are repealed by this act shall be revived by such revocation. Any by-law in force when said revocation takes effect, so far as consistent with the general laws respecting town government and town officers and with said special laws, shall not be affected thereby.

SECTION 50. The provision of this act are severable, and if any of its provisions shall be held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect or impair any of the remaining provisions.

(Inserted at the request of the Committee on Town Manager Form of Government)

Article 62. To see if the Town will make an appropriation of a sum of money to be expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen for the purpose of providing suitable headquarters for the Lt. Stanley G. Benner Detachment, Marine Corps League of Arlington, determine in what manner the money shall be raised and expended or take any action relating thereto.

(Inserted at the request of more than ten (10) registered voters)

Article 63. To see if the Town will authorize taking a sum of money voted for the appropriations heretofore made at this Town Meeting under this Warrant, and not voted to be borrowed, from any available funds in the treasury and will authorize the Assessors to use free cash in the treasury in any available funds to that amount in the determination of the 1951 tax rate.

And you will notify and warn the voters of the Town of Arlington to meet at the times and places herein specified by leaving at every dwelling house in the Town a printed copy of this Warrant, and also by posting a copy of the same at the doors of the Town Hall, and in a conspicuous place in each of the fourteen precincts of the Town, seven days at least before the day of said meeting for the election of officers.

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Hereof, fail not, and make due return of the Warrant, with your doings thereon, to the Town Clerk before the day of said meeting.

Given under our hands, at said Arlington, this twenty-second day of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and fifty-one.

JOSEPH A. PURCELL..	}	Board of Selectmen
MARCUS L. SORENSEN		of the
EDMUND L. FROST .		Town of Arlington

A true copy.

Attest:

FRANK K. NICKSAY

Constable, Town of Arlington.

CONSTABLE'S RETURN

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

Middlesex, ss.

Arlington, March 1, 1951

By virtue of this warrant I have notified and warned the legal voters of the Town of Arlington to meet at the times and places and for the purposes herein specified by causing a printed attested copy of said warrant to be left at every dwelling house in the town previous to the day of the meeting for the election of officers and by posting an attested copy of said warrant at the doors of the Town Hall and in two or more conspicuous places in each of the fourteen precincts of the Town, seven days at least before the day of said meeting. A notice of the times, places and objects of the meetings was published in the local papers.

FRANK K. NICKSAY

Constable of the Town of Arlington, Massachusetts

ANNUAL TOWN ELECTION, MARCH 5, 1951

In pursuance of the foregoing warrant, the inhabitants of the Town of Arlington, qualified to vote in elections, met in their respective polling places in said Town on Monday, March 5, 1951, at seven o'clock in the forenoon.

The Town Clerk and Registrars of Voters upon receipt of the returns from the several precincts forthwith canvassed the same and the result was announced, as follows:

Total of Ballots Cast 9,258

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	494	617	521	596	571	699	638
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	747	593	689	742	910	691	750

TOWN OFFICERS

TOWN CLERK FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
James J. Golden	438	545	460	537	500	639	550	
Blanks	56	72	61	59	71	60	88	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*James J. Golden	687	533	631	628	805	589	654	8,196
Blanks	60	60	58	114	105	102	96	1,062

TREASURER FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
J. Wilbert Anderson	395	503	411	487	423	609	461	
John P. Kedian			1					
Blanks	99	114	109	109	148	90	177	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
J. Wilbert Anderson	681	485	608	595	774	568	634	7,634
John P. Kedian								1
Blanks	66	108	81	147	136	123	116	1,623

SELECTMEN FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Daniel M. Hooley	113	148	180	136	146	127	162	
Walter T. Kenney	167	141	122	196	110	452	127	
Robert E. Mahoney	203	300	207	239	292	99	321	
Blanks	11	28	12	25	23	21	28	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
Daniel M. Hooley	126	101	161	146	133	144	96	1,919
*Walter T. Kenney	482	323	374	374	545	283	421	4,117
Robert E. Mahoney	97	151	119	170	173	207	186	2,764
Blanks	42	18	35	52	59	57	47	458

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Joseph P. Greeley	293	321	272	311	369	220	416	
Edward W. Higgins	187	261	224	252	176	468	194	
Blanks	14	35	25	33	26	11	28	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*Joseph P. Greeley ..	199	237	264	378	470	428	302	4,480
Edward W. Higgins	526	345	407	338	420	251	424	4,473
Blanks ..	22	11	18	26	20	12	24	305

(The amended records of votes cast for above office are set forth in Record of Recount made on March 17, 1951.)

ASSESSOR FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Albert Hansen	81	146	81	195	63	48	52	
John H. O'Brien	216	251	218	189	302	155	357	
Arthur W. Sampson	168	193	200	193	159	471	179	
Blanks ..	29	27	22	19	47	25	50	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
Albert Hansen ..	81	55	69	81	75	86	88	1,201
John H. O'Brien	146	190	192	275	217	251	206	3,165
*Arthur W. Sampson ..	504	330	392	346	573	308	413	4,429
Blanks	16	18	36	40	45	46	43	463

SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
John H. Allison ..	277	316	315	312	315	518	410	
Robert J. Brosnan ..	238	359	226	346	280	138	291	
James W. Kidder	258	317	296	307	269	502	283	
Edward J. Sennott ..	139	175	122	138	151	133	163	
Eleanor J. Strong ..	282	347	322	333	290	576	346	
Blanks ..	288	337	282	352	408	230	421	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*John H. Allison ..	580	401	488	451	631	398	484	5,896
Robert J. Brosnan	163	188	200	284	275	272	218	3,478
*James W. Kidder ..	537	411	471	434	600	395	484	5,564
Edward J. Sennott	166	121	159	177	179	168	169	2,160
*Eleanor J. Strong ..	587	398	487	458	628	414	512	5,980
Blanks ..	208	260	262	422	417	426	383	4,696

BOARD OF HEALTH FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Carl E. Barstow	313	386	347	405	333	538	399	
Carl L. Peterson	132	170	122	133	153	115	148	
Blanks ..	49	61	52	58	85	46	91	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*Carl E. Barstow	585	444	489	482	659	433	524	6,337
Carl L. Peterson	131	108	159	213	195	199	177	2,155
Blanks ..	31	41	41	47	56	59	49	766

TRUSTEES ROBBINS LIBRARY FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Margaret E. Heaps	315	387	313	355	298	472	341	
Llewellyn B. Parsons	355	432	374	436	352	565	402	
Blanks	318	415	355	401	492	361	533	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*Margaret E. Heaps	559	388	472	455	606	400	482	5,843
*Llewellyn B. Parsons	616	458	525	513	681	489	560	6,758
Blanks	319	340	381	516	533	493	458	5,915

PARK COMMISSIONER FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Everett J. Henderson	395	496	410	478	414	592	471	
Blanks	99	121	111	118	157	107	167	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*Everett J. Henderson	668	494	597	601	760	546	630	7,552
Blanks	79	99	92	141	150	145	120	1,706

PLANNING BOARD FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
John B. Byrne, Jr.	237	312	287	301	363	286	440	
Frederick Stanley Glynn, Jr. .	200	234	179	233	143	365	118	
Blanks	57	71	55	62	65	48	80	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*John B. Byrne, Jr.	296	299	271	362	311	290	190	4,245
Frederick Stanley Glynn, Jr. .	385	251	349	294	512	316	501	4,080
Blanks	66	43	69	86	87	85	59	933

CEMETERY COMMISSIONER FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Wathen B. Henderson	395	488	410	476	423	598	466	
Blanks	99	129	111	120	148	101	172	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*Wathen B. Henderson	662	495	599	591	748	540	622	7,513
Blanks	85	98	90	151	162	151	128	1,745

TREE WARDEN FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
George M. Dolan	401	510	416	494	450	612	514	
Blanks	93	107	105	102	121	87	124	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*George M. Dolan	657	512	591	605	757	557	622	7,698
Blanks	90	81	98	137	153	134	128	1,560

ARLINGTON HOUSING AUTHORITY FOR FIVE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Myron D. Chace	256	321	280	319	235	484	266	
Kenneth P. Troy	178	199	169	188	238	155	256	
Blanks	60	97	72	89	98	60	116	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*Myron D. Chace	538	385	484	327	592	326	464	5,277
Kenneth P. Troy	141	137	150	351	222	267	191	2,842
Blanks	68	71	55	64	96	98	95	1,139

ARLINGTON HOUSING AUTHORITY FOR TWO YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Cornelius J. Brosnan	277	417	254	375	287	239	309	
James C. Doyle	165	150	201	158	200	358	218	
Blanks	52	50	66	63	84	102	111	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*Cornelius J. Brosnan	257	238	256	300	280	310	259	4,058
James C. Doyle	379	261	345	337	514	266	372	3,924
Blanks	111	94	88	105	116	115	119	1,276

COMMISSIONER OF SINKING FUND FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Ira M. Jones	170	208	202	203	128	340	137	
William J. O'Brien, Jr.	273	352	278	341	355	313	402	
Blanks	51	57	41	52	88	46	99	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
Ira M. Jones	365	215	311	262	386	254	285	3,466
*William J. O'Brien, Jr.	324	319	323	394	421	343	371	4,809
Blanks	58	59	55	86	103	94	94	983

TRUSTEE PRATT FUND FOR FIVE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Edward P. Clark	385	480	397	469	377	590	432	
Blanks	109	137	124	127	194	109	206	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*Edward P. Clark	639	482	571	552	733	525	601	7,233
Blanks	108	111	118	190	177	166	149	2,025

TRUSTEE EDWIN S. FARMER POOR WIDOWS' FUND
AND TRUSTEE EDWIN S. FARMER FUND FOR NEEDY
PERSONS FOR FIVE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Harold A. Yeames	388	473	396	461	383	603	425	
Blanks	106	144	125	135	188	96	213	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*Harold A. Yeames	645	486	576	568	731	520	609	7,264
Blanks	102	107	113	174	179	171	141	1,994

TRUSTEE FRANCIS E. THOMPSON SCHOLARSHIP FUND
FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Harold A. Cahalin	376	476	405	458	394	606	463	
Blanks	118	141	116	138	177	93	175	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*Harold A. Cahalin	637	495	571	565	721	522	595	7,284
Blanks	110	98	118	177	189	169	155	1,974

TOWN MEETING MEMBERS

PRECINCT ONE—THREE YEARS

(Five Elected)

*Walter R. Boone, 10 Cleveland Street .. .	361
*James E. McAuliffe, Jr., 32 Waldo Road .. .	354
*Robert L. O'Brien, 54 Marathon Street .. .	371
*Herman Ockenga, 42 Marathon Street .. .	340
*M. Norcross Stratton, 11 Trowbridge Street .. .	390
Blanks .. .	654

PRECINCT ONE—ONE YEAR

(One Elected)

*Stephen J. Tobin, Jr., 24 Henderson Street .. .	399
Blanks .. .	95

PRECINCT TWO—THREE YEARS

(Seven Elected)

Edward A. Alfano, 28 Milton Street .. .	246
*Cornelius J. Brosnan, 52 Egerton Road .. .	438
*Richard Donovan, 28 Chandler Street .. .	376
*John E. Fitzgerald, 27 Lafayette Street .. .	369
*Robert T. Hudson, 44 Varnum Street .. .	312
*John J. Igo, 23 Lafayette Street .. .	328
Elizabeth Marshall, 138 Herbert Road .. .	295
*James X. O'Leary, 29 Egerton Road .. .	351
Peter Pearson, 49 Lake Street .. .	251
*James P. Russell, 91 Egerton Road .. .	385
Leo Speranza, 14 Magnolia Street .. .	164
Blanks .. .	804

PRECINCT TWO—TWO YEARS

(One Elected)

*Joseph H. Gobiel, Jr., 38a Fairmont Street .. .	320
James Parragona, 141 Thorndike Street .. .	200
Blanks .. .	97

PRECINCT THREE—THREE YEARS

(Four Elected)

*Howard N. Atwood, 61 Harlow Street	316
Richard H. Brawley, 18 Palmer Street	182
Thomas H. Geary, 7 Wyman Street	227
*M. Ernest Moore, 361 Massachusetts Avenue	248
*William J. O'Brien, Jr., 319 Massachusetts Avenue	264
*Martin F. Roach, 72 Grafton Street ..	299
Edward J. Swadkins, 196 Broadway	183
Blanks	365

PRECINCT THREE—ONE YEAR

(One Elected)

*James W. Donahue, 56 Foster Street	209
James P. Koenig, 96 Everett Street ..	144
Charles J. Sheehan, 21 Allen Street ..	107
Blanks	61

PRECINCT FOUR—THREE YEARS

(Six Elected)

*Edward D. Buckley, 166 Brooks Avenue	502
*Thomas P. Cashman, 25 Alfred Road ..	469
*James A. Coffey, 19 Burch Street	484
*William M. Foley, 174 Brooks Avenue	458
*Meyer R. Jaffe, 46 Mary Street	445
*Daniel J. Mahoney, 79 Mary Street	500
Charles Ortel, 19 Edith Street ..	1
Blanks	717

PRECINCT FIVE—THREE YEARS

(Five Elected)

Anthony A. Brillante, 136 Decatur Street	197
*Jeremiah J. Drinan, 94 Warren Street	219
Walter M. Driscoll, 45 Fremont Court ..	206
*Patrick J. Duddy, 11 Dartmouth Street ..	251
*Paul A. Egan, 43 Warren Street	333
William Joseph Fahey, 59 Exeter Street	200
Miriam S. Hall, 59 Gardner Street ..	148
*John C. Hennessy, 71 Warren Street ..	268
*William F. Holian, 35 Park Street	338
Norman E. MacLean, 48 River Street	142
Blanks	553

PRECINCT FIVE—ONE YEAR

(Two Elected)

Salvador Caterino, 65 Palmer Street	245
*Robert E. Holian, 35 Park Street	371
*Hugh A. Mallon, Jr., 39 Fremont Court	264
Blanks	262

PRECINCT SIX—THREE YEARS

(Five Elected)

John E. Buckley, Jr., 33 Kensington Park	319
*William F. Fletcher, 21 Hopkins Road	429
John B. Fox, 36 Pleasant View Road ..	185
*Grace M. Kingman, 21 Gould Road ..	427
*Earl S. Lewis, 61 Kensington Park	430
Malcolm H. Masters, 18 Venner Road	318
*Arthur D. Saul, Jr., 44 Gray Street	454
*Allen H. Thomson, 29 Addison Street ..	437
Matthew R. Higgins, 29 Avon Place	1
Edward B. Caulkins, 111 Jason Street	1
Gordon P. Thompson, 37 Brantwood Road ..	1
Blanks	493

PRECINCT SEVEN—THREE YEARS

(Six Elected)

*Everett J. Ahern, Jr., 30 Phillips Street	394
*Leo B. Byrne, 31 Franklin Street ..	374
*John J. Creedon, 29 Lewis Avenue	366
*Margaret E. Cronin, 38 Lewis Avenue ..	337
*Charles E. Crowley, 16 Webster Street	342
William C. Jones, Jr., 42 Sherborn Street	222
Eugene F. Lawlor, Jr., 47 Alton Street ..	295
Deneige M. Ryan, 59 Webcowet Road	306
*Paul R. Shanahan, 52 Lewis Avenue ..	405
Blanks	787

PRECINCT SEVEN—TWO YEARS

(One Elected)

*Edward W. Murphy, Jr., 31 Sherborn Street	462
Blanks	176

PRECINCT SEVEN—ONE YEAR

(One Elected)

Joseph G. Bourgeois, 46 Sherborn Street ..	97
Walter G. Creedon, 29 Lewis Avenue ..	194
*William J. McElaney, 128 Webster Street ..	248
Blanks	99

PRECINCT EIGHT—THREE YEARS

(Six Elected)

*Richard W. Bennett, 161 Gray Street	613
*Hollis M. Gott, 90 Churchill Avenue	568
*Irving W. Lovell, 155 Highland Avenue ..	589
*George E. Miller, 11 Jason Terrace	598
*Edward J. Sennott, 79 Jason Street ..	440
John F. Travers, 17 Plymouth Street	393

*Willard A. Wallace, 114 Wildwood Avenue	537
Ascher H. Shapiro, 68 Gray Street	3
Edward B. Caulkins, 111 Jason Street	13
Luke A. Manning, 145 Gray Street	1
Blanks	727

PRECINCT EIGHT—TWO YEARS

(One Elected)

*Ascher H. Shapiro, 68 Gray Street	41
Willard A. Wallace, 114 Wildwood Avenue	2
Luke A. Manning, 145 Gray Street	11
G. Wiley Mitchell, 6 Jason Street	1
Thomas H. Anderson, 218 Highland Avenue	1
Edward B. Caulkins, 111 Jason Street	22
Edward J. Sennott, 79 Jason Street	1
Frederick J. Sennott, Jr., 79 Jason Street	1
Daniel A. Healy, Jr., 34 Jason Street	4
Ehrich E. M. Schreiter, 179 Highland Avenue	1
Blanks	662

PRECINCT NINE—THREE YEARS

(Five Elected)

*John B. Byrne, Jr., 7 Bacon Street	455
*George E. Ham, 5 Richfield Road	432
*Harold A. Holbrook, 325 Mystic Street	412
*John P. Morine, 12 Frost Street	458
*Leona R. Wilkins, 23 Draper Avenue	55
Mark W. Bradford, 331 Mystic Street	2
Ross A. LoPresti, 24 Central Street	22
George F. Hoyer, 42 Kimball Road	1
John W. Kiernan, 17 Russell Street	1
Blanks	1127

PRECINCT NINE—TWO YEARS

(One Elected)

*Charles H. Caterino, 64 Mystic Street	451
Blanks	142

PRECINCT TEN—THREE YEARS

(Six Elected)

*Herbert O. Alderson, 7 Stevens Terrace	533
*Joseph J. Bevins, 127 Scituate Street	536
*Felix V. Cutler, 62 Mt. Vernon Street	549
*Thomas A. Davin, 178 Scituate Street	428
Edward L. McCormack, 101 Scituate Street	373
*Robert V. Meyer, 180 Scituate Street	488
*John M. Stiff, 53 Mt. Vernon Street	409
Blanks	818

PRECINCT TEN—TWO YEARS

(One Elected)

William D. Houlihan, 15 Glenburn Road ..	280
*Eugene A. Leonard, 27 Albermarle Street ..	330
Blanks	79

PRECINCT TEN—ONE YEAR

(Two Elected)

*William R. Dunn, 105 Mt. Vernon Street ..	394
Joseph P. Riemer, 374 Park Avenue ..	340
*James R. Robson, 103 Glenburn Road ..	420
Blanks	224

PRECINCT ELEVEN—THREE YEARS

(Six Elected)

J. Warren Barnaby, 16 Aerial Street ..	324
*John J. Bradley, 263 Forest Street ..	470
Gerald J. Cusack, 31 Governor Road ..	350
*James F. Donovan, 166 Washington Street ..	424
*George W. Fleming, 140 Summer Street ..	441
Henry P. Mason, 11 Orlando Avenue ..	247
Frank A. Parragona, 35 Dudley Street ..	167
*Francis G. Publicover, 18 Radcliffe Road ..	357
*Kenneth P. Troy, 182 Brattle Street ..	467
*Robert H. Zwicker, 83 Edmund Road ..	380
Blanks	825

PRECINCT ELEVEN—TWO YEARS

(One Elected)

Harvey C. Abbot, 70 Ridge Street ..	229
Donald F. Bresnan, 1125 Massachusetts Avenue ..	124
*Patrick Donnelly, 58 Brattle Street ..	312
Blanks ..	77

PRECINCT TWELVE—THREE YEARS

(Seven Elected)

*Roderick D. Bates, 200 Cedar Avenue ..	634
*Frederick L. Bloodsworth, 19 Linden Street ..	470
Arthur C. Conley, 70 Buena Vista Road ..	430
*Wallace Gorton, 71 Quincy Street ..	554
*Thomas A. Haggerty, 49 Grand View Road ..	578
*Alice B. Harris, 196 Cedar Avenue ..	604
*Horatio W. Lamson, 72 Oakland Avenue ..	644
*Ernest R. Moore, 349 Gray Street ..	640
Elmer A. Rietzel, 204 Park Avenue ..	364
Blanks	1452

PRECINCT TWELVE—ONE YEAR

(One Elected)

*William H. Rule, 67 Quincy Street	711
Blanks	199

PRECINCT THIRTEEN—THREE YEARS

(Six Elected)

*Herbert R. Biscoe, 57 Alpine Street	392
*Edward John Doherty, 99 Bow Street	434
Paul A. Dunkerley, 50 Alpine Street	275
Lloyd C. Goodrich, 178 Forest Street	251
*William T. Greene, 614 Summer Street	398
Joseph A. King, 7 Harold Street	217
*Richard L. Powers, 11 Lowell Street	404
*Percival E. Richardson, 137 Newland Road	320
Elizabeth M. Welch, 3 Washington Avenue	198
*John R. Wright, 15 Nourse Street	416
Blanks	841

PRECINCT FOURTEEN—THREE YEARS

(Seven Elected)

*Bernard A. Courtney, 72 Hillside Avenue	505
*Frederic K. Edmonds, 24 Hillside Avenue	427
Mortimer A. French, 26 Mayflower Road	298
*Ira L. Goding, 17 Tanager Street	421
*Samuel A. Lewis, 106 Paul Revere Road	437
Gordon R. Sherburne, 316 Appleton Street	317
*Ira W. Smith, 87 George Street	446
*Richard B. Talcott, 247 Wachusett Avenue	453
*Edwin F. Tarbox, 3rd., 231 Appleton Street	418
Dorothy A. Vahey, 268 Oakland Avenue	376
Blanks	1152

PRECINCT FOURTEEN—ONE YEAR

(One Elected)

*Kenneth Fisher, 68 George Street	567
Blanks	183
*Elected	

All ballots, used and unused, enclosed in containers, each of which was sealed in such manner as to effectively lock the containers, were directed by the Town Clerk to be impounded at the Police Station. The voting lists used at the entrances to the polling places and at the ballot boxes, with total vote sheets, properly enclosed in envelopes provided therefor, in accordance with the provisions of law relating to elections,

and all other records pertaining to the election, were delivered to the Town Clerk, to be preserved by him during the time required by law.

A true record,

ATTEST:

JAMES J. GOLDEN,
Town Clerk

In accordance with Section 61 of Chapter 51 of the General Laws, the return of the registered voters in the Town at the close of registration on February 13, 1951, was forwarded to the Secretary of State.

The result of the count of the votes cast at the Town Election was forwarded to the Secretary of State.

In accordance with Section 132 of Chapter 54 of the General Laws, the total number of names of voters checked on the voting lists in each precinct was forwarded to the Secretary of State.

In connection with the work of the Department of Corporations and Taxation, a list of Town Officials was forwarded to the Director of Accounts.

RECOUNT, MARCH 17, 1951

Pursuant to the petitions filed with the Town Clerk, in accordance with the law, a recount of the votes cast for the Board of Public Works in each precinct at the Annual Town Election was made by the Registrars of Voters, assisted by duly appointed clerks, in the Hearing Room of the Town Hall on Saturday, March 17, 1951, at 9:30 o'clock in the forenoon.

The result of the recount, which becomes the official record, was as follows:

BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS FOR THREE YEARS

Precinct	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
Joseph P. Greeley	292	319	271	311	370	220	421	
Edward W. Higgins	187	262	225	252	176	468	193	
Blanks	15	36	25	33	25	11	24	
Precinct	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	Total
*Joseph P. Greeley	200	238	266	376	470	428	302	4,484
Edward W. Higgins	526	344	407	341	420	251	424	4,476
Blanks	21	11	16	25	20	12	24	298

* Elected

The ballots, when the recount was completed, were enclosed in their proper envelopes, and sealed and certified by the Registrars of Voters in conformity to law, and were returned to the Town Clerk.

A true record,

ATTEST:

JAMES J. GOLDEN

Town Clerk

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 19, 1951

Pursuant to the Warrant of the Selectmen served according to law upon the inhabitants of the Town of Arlington by a constable of said Town, notices having been sent by mail by the Town Clerk at least seven days before the day of the meeting to the town meeting members elected and qualified to act in town meetings in Arlington under the provisions of Chapter 43A of the General Laws, as amended, and published in the local newspapers, as required by the Town's By-Laws, the town meeting members met in the Town Hall, in said Town, on Monday, March 19, 1951, at eight o'clock in the evening. The Warrant calling the meeting was the notice sent by mail by the Town Clerk.

Lists of the duly qualified town meeting members were used at the entrances of the meeting place and were in charge of Philip T. Robinson and James E. Sweeney. The lists contained the names of two hundred fifty-two (252) town meeting members qualified to participate in and vote in town meetings in Arlington.

The check lists filed with the Town Clerk at the close of the meeting showed that two hundred sixteen (216) members and nine (9) members-at-large attended the meeting.

Philip H. Burt, stenographer, was sworn by the Town Clerk to the faithful performance of his duties.

The meeting was called to order at 8:13 o'clock P.M. by the Moderator, Mr. Harold E. Magnuson, who declared a quorum present.

The meeting was opened with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" by the assembly, accompanied by Mr. Augustus Mazzocca, trumpeter and Mr. Walter E. Russell, pianist, both of the School Department, and prayer offered by Rev. Joseph M. Fitzgibbons, Pastor of St. Jerome's Church.

The town meeting members who had not previously been sworn were thereupon sworn by the Moderator.

There being no objection to the request of Selectman Sorensen, permission was granted to Messrs. Frost and Kenney of the Board of Selectmen; Mr. Nicksay, Secretary of the Board of Selectmen, Messrs. Rawson and Greeley of the Board of Public Works; Messrs. Cooledge and Sampson of the Board of Assessors; Mr. Hurd of the Board of Park Com-

missioners; Mr. McFadden, Director of Civil Defense; Messrs. Flynn and Mansfield of the Personnel Board; Mr. Morris, Executive Secretary of the Personnel Board; Messrs. Bretscher, Potts, Daniels, Halpin, Farrow and Driscoll of the Finance Committee; Mr. Smith, Executive Secretary of the Finance Committee; Mr. Hamlet, Town Counsel, and Mr. Abbott of the Planning Board, to sit within the town meeting enclosure.

The Town Clerk read the call of the meeting and the Constable's return of the Warrant, the reading of the remainder of the Warrant being waived by consent of the meeting.

On motion of Selectmen Sorensen, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That if all the business of the meeting as set forth in the Warrant is not disposed of at this session, when the meeting adjourns, it adjourn to Monday, March 26, 1951, at 8 o'clock.

On motion of Selectman Sorensen, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Article 2 be taken up.

Article 2. (Choice of other Town Officers.)

On motion of Selectman Sorensen, duly seconded it was

VOTED: That the following be appointed Measurers of Wood and Bark:

Charles E. Hale, 24 Jason Street

Horace W. Peirce, 38 Bailey Road

There being no further business under Article 2, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

On motion of Selectman Sorensen, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Article 3 be taken up.

Article 3. (Reports of Selectmen, other Town Officers and Committees.)

On motion of Selectman Sorensen, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the reports of the Selectmen and of the various Town Officers and the committees heretofore appointed, together with the statistics of the Assessors as printed in the Town Report, be received.

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the report of the Finance Committee as presented in its printed form, including also the Supplementary Report dated March 12, 1951, be received.

George A. Harris presented the report of the committee appointed to study the advisability of creating a central purchasing department, and on motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the report be received.

Joseph Peterson presented the report of the Town Hall Building Committee, and on motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the report be received.

James C. Doyle presented the report of the committee on the Town Manager Form of Government, and on motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the report be received.

Frank H. Lansing presented the report of the committee appointed to arrange a suitable way to memorialize the name of Daniel P. Barry, and on motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the report be received and the committee be discharged.

Frederick B. Lewis presented the report of the committee appointed to study, consider and make recommendations relative to a branch library in East Arlington, and on motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the report be received and the committee be discharged.

Martin F. Roach presented the report of the committee appointed to study, consider and make recommendations relative to salaries of elected town officials, and on motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the report be accepted and the committee be discharged.

Wallace Gorton presented the report of the committee on special compensation for Town officers and employees, and on motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the report be accepted.

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was.

VOTED: That Article 3 be laid on the table.

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the remaining articles in the Warrant be now taken up separately in the order in which they appear in said Warrant, unless otherwise voted as to any particular article, and that the recommendations of the Finance Committee under said articles as presented in their printed report be considered as now before the meeting, to be voted upon without further motion, separately, under the respective articles as they appear in said report.

Article 4. (Assessment for County Hospital.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That payment to the County of Middlesex of amounts assessed upon or otherwise payable by the Town under Warrant issued by the County Commissioners in accordance with Chapter 500, Section 1, of the Acts of 1943 for: (A) the Town's share of the care, maintenance and repair of Middlesex County Tuberculosis Hospital during the last preceding calendar year, including interest on temporary notes issued therefor, in accordance with sections of Chapter 111 of the General Laws applicable thereto; (B) the Town's share of any and all other expenses in connection with said hospital, including expenses under section 25G (6) (a) of Chapter 32 of the General Laws inserted by Chapter 400 of the Acts of 1936; be and hereby is authorized, ratified and confirmed.

There being no further business under Article 4, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 5. (Civil Defense.)

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the Finance Committee, be given leave to withdraw the motion as printed in its report under Article 5.

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the development of a Civil Defense program and for the purchase of equipment and supplies necessary to carry on these defense activities; said sum to be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

There being no further business under Article 5, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 6. (Amendment of Town By-Laws—Classification Plan.)

M. Norcross Stratton of the Personnel Board moved, and it was duly seconded.

To amend the motion of the Finance Committee by substituting in place thereof the following motion:

“That the Classification Plan known as Schedule A, under Table I and Table II, of Article 7C, of the By-Laws, be amended by adding the following classifications:

Patrolman (when assigned as Inspector)—Grade XV

Motor Equipment Operator, Grade 1 (when assigned to compressor)—Grade X

Motor Equipment Operator, Grade 1 (in school Department)—Grade IX

Supervisor of Recreational Dancing, P—T.”

Following discussion, on motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That each item of the substitute motion as offered by Mr. Stratton be considered and voted upon separately.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared that each item in the motion of Mr. Stratton to amend had carried, the first having been taken by a standing vote, 121 voting in the affirmative and 96 in the negative.

Thereupon, it was

VOTED: That the Classification Plan known as Schedule A, under Table I and Table II, of Article 7C of the By Laws, be amended by adding the following classifications:

Patrolman (when assigned as Inspector)—Grade XV

Motor Equipment Operator, Grade 1 (when assigned to compressor)—Grade X

Motor Equipment Operator, Grade 1 (in school Department)—Grade IX

Supervisor of Recreational Dancing, P—T.

There being no further business under Article 6, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 7. (Amendment of Town By Laws—Classification Plan.)

M. Norcross Stratton of the Personnel Board moved, and it was duly seconded,

To amend the motion of the Finance Committee by substituting in place thereof the following motion:

"That the Classification Plan know as Schedule A, under Table I and Table II, of Article 7C, of the By-Laws, be amended by reallocating certain classifications to the salary grades as set forth in the following list:

Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works

Inspector of Wires, Grade XXI, reallocated to Grade XXII

Civil Engineer Grade 1, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Civil Engineer Grade 2, Grade X, reallocated to Grade XI

Board of Selectmen—Police Department

Chief of Police, Grade XXIV, reallocated to Grade XXV

Traffic Signal Maintenance Man, Grade XIV reallocated to Grade XV

Assistant Traffic Signal Maintenance Man, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Board of Selectmen—Fire Department

Chief—Fire Department, Grade XXIV, reallocated to Grade XXV

Board of Selectmen—Welfare Department

Social Work Supervisor, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Social Worker, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Board of Selectmen—Building Department

Inspector of Buildings, Grade XXI, reallocated to Grade XXII

Assistant Inspector of Buildings, Grade X, reallocated to Grade XI

Board of Selectmen

Moth Superintendent—Superintendent of Town House Grounds, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

Sealer of Weights and Measures, Grade XI, reallocated to Grade XIII

Board of Public Works

Head Water Meter Reader, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Water Meter Reader, Grade VIII, reallocated Grade IX

Water Registrar, Grade XI, reallocated to Grade XIX

Public Works Foreman, Grade XI, reallocated to Grade XV

Foreman of Paint, Carpenter and Blacksmith Shops, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

General Public Works Foreman, Grade XV, reallocated to Grade XVII

Working Foreman, M.E. Repair, Grade XIII, reallocated to Grade XV

Storekeeper, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Timekeeper, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Supervisor of Motor Equipment Repair, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

Board of Park Commissioners

Superintendent of Parks and Recreation, Grade XXII, reallocated to Grade XXIII

Park Foreman, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

School Committee

School Nurse, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Supervising School Nurse, Grade VIII, reallocated to Grade IX

Supervisor of Custodians and Maintenance, Grade XXII, reallocated to Grade XXIII

Construction Handyman, Grade VIII, reallocated to Grade IX

Board of Health

Agent, Board of Health, Grade XVII, reallocated to Grade XIX

Public Health Nurse, Grade VIII, reallocated to Grade IX

Board of Assessors

Executive Secretary, Board of Assessors, Grade XXII, reallocated to Grade XXIII

Tree Warden

Tree Climber, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Principal Clerk, Grade V, reallocated to Grade VI."

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That each item in the substitute motion as offered by Mr. Stratton be considered and voted upon separately.

Following discussion of the motion of Joseph W. Walker to amend the substitute motion of Mr. Stratton with respect to the Inspector of Wires, which was declared by the Moderator to be out of order, on motion of Hugh A. Mallon, Jr., duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Article 7 be laid on the table subject to call.

Article 8. (Amendment of Town By-Laws—Classification Plan and Pay Plan.)

M. Norcross Stratton of the Personnel Board moved, and it was duly seconded,

To amend the motion of the Finance Committee by substituting in place thereof the following motion:

“That Table I of Schedule A of the Classification Plan and Table I of Schedule B of the Pay Plan as established by Article 7C of the By-Laws be and hereby is amended as follows:

By striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$3,245.00 in Grade XIII and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$3,300.00;

By striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$4,186.00 in Grade XXI and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$4,277.00;

By striking out the figures \$5,200.00 in Grade XXV and inserting the following figures from Minimum to Maximum:

Minimum—\$4,560.00, Step 1—\$4,768.00, Step 2—\$4,976.00, Step 3—\$5,184.00, Maximum—\$5,400.00.”

Following discussion, on motion of Allen H. Thomson, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Article 8 be laid on the table.

This vote was taken by count, 119 voting in the affirmative and 76 in the negative.

Article 9. (Amendment of Town By-Laws—Classification Plan and Pay Plan.)

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the Finance Committee be given leave to withdraw the motion recommended in its report under Article 9.

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

"That the Classification Plan known as Schedule A under Table I of Article 7C of the By-Laws, be and hereby is amended by increasing any or all money figures contained therein by five percentum (5%) to the nearest dollar; and that the sum of eighty-four thousand four hundred sixteen and 50/100 (84,416.50) dollars, be and hereby is appropriated for said purpose; said sum to be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of the various departments affected."

George A. Harris moved, and it was duly seconded,

That the motion of the Finance Committee as made by Mr. Hayes be amended to insert the word "half" between the word "nearest" and the word "dollar", so that the motion will read, "to the nearest half dollar".

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the Classification Plan known as Schedule A under Table I of Article 7C of the By-Laws, be and hereby is amended by increasing any or all money figures contained therein by five percentum (5%) to the nearest half dollar; and that the sum of eighty-four thousand four hundred sixteen and 50/100 (84,416.50) dollars, be and hereby is appropriated for said purpose; said sum to be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of the various departments affected.

There being no further business under Article 9, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 10. (Increase—Salaries or Wages.)

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the Finance Committee be given leave to withdraw the motion appearing in its report under Article 10.

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the Departments of the Town be and hereby are authorized to increase by five percentum (5%), to the nearest half dollar, the basic salaries or wages of all employees not covered by Table I of Schedule A of the Classification Plan and Table I of Schedule B of the Pay Plan as established by Article 7C of the By-Laws of the Town, including part time employees, employees now receiving salaries

or wages in excess of maximums as now established by said Classification Plan and Pay Plan, and also including full time elected officials; that the sum of fifty-four thousand nine hundred forty-six and 73/100 dollars (\$54,946.73) be and hereby is appropriated for the use of the following Departments not to exceed the amount indicated:

Board of Selectmen	\$1,296.35
Board of Public Works	2,162.55
Tree Warden	174.78
School Department	49,535.67
Cemeteries	274.50
Park Department	745.38
Board of Health	165.00
Finance Committee	37.50
Town Clerk	270.00
Town Treasurer and Tax Collector	285.00
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	\$54,946.73

and expended under the direction of said Departments.

There being no further business under Article 10, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 11. (Special Compensation for Town Officers and Employees.)

Wallace Gorton moved, and it was duly seconded,

To amend the motion of the Finance Committee by striking out the third paragraph and substituting in place thereof the following paragraph:

"The Cost of Living Index as shown for January 1951, and declared to be 167.1, subject to any subsequent adjustment of this figure by the said Department of Labor and Industries, and the basic salary of each employee as set forth in the Pay Plan Schedule in effect at the close of the Annual Town Meeting of March 1951, are declared the norms from which changes are calculated";
by inserting the following paragraph between the sixth and seventh paragraphs:

"The Town Accountant shall file with the Personnel Board a schedule of the base salaries of all employees not covered by Table I of the Schedule A of the Classification Plan, and Table I of Schedule B of the Pay Plan, as established under Article 7-C of the By-Laws of

the Town, including full time elected officials, in effect at the close of the Annual Town Meeting of March 1951",

and by striking out the eleventh paragraph and substituting in place thereof the following paragraph:

"In no event shall the compensation be decreased below the Pay Plan Schedule and the schedule filed by the Town Accountant in effect at the close of the Town Meeting March 1951, and the schedules filed by the School Committee as of April 1, 1951, except by vote of a Town Meeting."

Following discussion, on motion of George A. Harris, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the motion made by Mr. Gorton be amended by adding to the paragraph to be inserted between the sixth and seventh paragraphs the words "and such schedule of base salaries shall be the norm for such employees and elected officials."

A vote wa then taken on the motion of Mr. Gorton, as amended, to amend the motion of the Finance Committee, and the Moderator declared the motion, as amended, carried.

Thereupon, it was

VOTED: That a system of adjusted compensation, the purpose of which is to adjust the compensation of each employee, including school teachers and full time elected Town officials, of the Town of Arlington, in accordance with the change in the cost of living is hereby established.

The cost of Living Index as issued by the Department of Labor and Industries of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts shall be the basis of any change in compensation.

The Cost of Living Index as shown for January 1951, and declared to be 167.1, subject to any subsequent adjustment of this figure by the said Department of Labor and Industries, and the basic salary of each employee as set forth in the Pay Plan Schedule in effect at the close of the Annual Town Meeting of March 1951, are declared the norms from which changes are calculated.

The norm of pay shall be changed in individual cases as individuals are changed in grades or steps within a grade.

The School Committee shall file with the Personnel Board and the Town Accountant a schedule of base salaries in effect in the School Department as of April 1, 1951, for all those employees of the School Department not covered by the Pay Plan, and such schedule shall be the norm for calculating change adjustments for such employees.

The School Committee shall inform the Personnel Board and the Town Accountant of any change in basic compensation in such list at the time such changes occur.

The Town Account shall file with the Personnel Board a schedule of the base salaries of all employees not covered by Table I of the Schedule A of the Classification Plan, and Table I of Schedule B of the Pay Plan, as established under Article 7-C of the By-Laws of the Town, including full time elected officials, in effect at the close of the Annual Town Meeting of March 1951, and such schedule of base salaries shall be the norm for such employees and elected officials.

The norm for each new employee shall be determined for each new employee by the Department Head, within the classification grade for such new employee at the time of employment.

On the second pay day succeeding any increased change in the cost of living index, amounting to 5 points

(160 to 165=3%)

(165 to 170)

(170 to 175)

(175 to 180, etc.)

the compensation of each employee shall be increased 3%, which increased amount shall continue to be the base rate of compensation until variation in the index requires further change.

If the index has required increased compensation and then decreases 5 points to the previous basic index figure

(180 to 175)

(175 to 170)

(170 to 165)

(165 to 160, etc.)

on the second pay day succeeding such decrease the compensation of each employee shall be reduced by an amount equal to the increased amount because of the particular bracket index change, which decreased amount shall continue as the base rate of compensation until variation of the index requires further change.

The School Committee shall make no additional cost of living adjustments.

In no event shall the compensation be decreased below the Pay Plan Schedule and the schedule filed by the Town Accountant in effect at the close of the Town Meeting March 1951, and the schedules filed

by the School Committee as of April 1, 1951, except by vote of a Town Meeting.

No action increasing or decreasing the rate of compensation taken hereunder shall be construed as permanently changing salaries or wages nor shall payments hereunder be deemed to be part of the regular compensation of any town employee.

That the sum of one hundred thousand (100,000) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the purpose of this Article, said sum to be raised by General Tax and expended under the direction of the several Boards and the Heads of Departments, when notified of appropriated adjustments by the Town Accountant, such expenditures to be charged to the appropriation made under this Article or similar Articles in subsequent Town Meetings.

Any unexpended balance remaining in the fund at the close of any year shall remain in such fund; the Finance Committee shall recommend at each Annual Meeting such changes, if any, which they shall consider necessary, in this fund.

This Article, if adopted, shall become effective March 1, 1951.

There being no further business under Article 11, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

On motion of Francis J. Higgins, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Article 8 be taken from the table.

This vote was taken by count, 116 voting in the affirmative and 66 in the negative.

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: To adjourn.

The meeting was declared adjourned by the Moderator at 11:00 P.M., Monday, March 19, 1951, until Monday, March 26, 1951, at 8:00 P.M.

A true record,

ATTEST:

JAMES J. GOLDEN
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 26, 1951

Pursuant to the vote of adjournment of March 19, 1951, and written notices sent by mail by the Town Clerk, the town meeting members met in the Town Hall on Monday evening, March 26, 1951, to act upon the remaining articles set forth in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting.

Lists of the duly qualified town meeting members were used at the entrances of the meeting place and were in charge of Philip T. Robinson and James E. Sweeney. The lists contained the names of two hundred fifty-three (253) town meeting members.

The check lists filed with the Town Clerk at the close of the meeting showed that two hundred twenty-one (221) members and ten (10) members-at-large attended the meeting.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Harold E. Magnuson, at 8:10 o'clock P. M.

The meeting was opened with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" by the assembly, accompanied by Mr. Augustus Mazzocca and Mr. Walter E. Russell of the School Department, and prayer offered by Rev. Halsey I. Andrews, Pastor of St. John's Episcopal Church.

The town meeting members who had not previously been sworn were thereupon sworn by the Moderator.

On motion of Selectman Sorensen, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That if all the business of the meeting as set forth in the Warrant is not disposed of at this session, when the meeting adjourns, it adjourn to Wednesday evening, March 28, 1951, at 8 o'clock.

Article 8. (Amendment of Town By-Laws-Classification Plan and Pay Plan.) (Resumed)

The Moderator declared that the motion of the Finance Committee and the substitute motion of Mr. Stratton under Article 8 were removed from the meeting as a result of the adjournment of the town meeting, and, therefore, Article 8 itself was before the meeting with no motion pending.

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That no action be taken under Article 8 of the Warrant.

M. Norcross Stratton of the Personnel Board moved, and it was duly seconded,

To amend the motion of the Finance Committee by substituting in place thereof the following motion:

"That Table I of Schedule A of the Classification Plan and Table I of Schedule B of the Pay Plan as established by Article 7C of the By-Laws be and hereby is amended as follows:

By striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$3,200.00 in Grade XII and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$3,300.00;

By striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$3,245.00 in Grade XIII and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$3,300.00;

By striking out the figures \$3,939.00 in Grade XVIII and substituting therefor the figures \$3,985.00;

By striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$3,939.00 in Grade XIX and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$3,985.00;

By striking out the figures \$4,178.00 in Grade XX and substituting therefor the figures \$4,277.00;

By striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$4,186.00 in Grade XXI and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$4,277.00;

By striking out the figures \$5,200.00 in Grade XXV and inserting the following figures from Minimum to Maximum:

Minimum—\$4,560.00, Step 1—\$4,768.00, Step 2—\$4,976.00, Step 3—\$5,184.00

Maximum—\$5,400.00."

Following discussion, on motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the various items in the substitute motion of Mr. Stratton be considered and voted upon separately.

Voice and/or standing votes were then taken on each part of the substitute motion of Mr. Stratton which, in substance, proposed to amend the Classification and Pay Plans, and the Moderator declared that each item of the motion carried except the fifth and sixth items, to wit:

"By striking out the figures \$4,178.00 in Grade XX and substituting therefor the figures \$4,277.00," and

"By striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$4,186.00 in Grade XXI and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$4,277.00."

Thereupon, it was

VOTED: That Table I of Schedule A of the Classification Plan and Table I of Schedule B of the Pay Plan as established by Article 7C of the By-Laws be and hereby is amended as follows:

By striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$3,200.00 in Grade XII and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$3,300.00;

By striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$3,245.00 in Grade XIII and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$3,300.00;

By striking out the figures \$3,939.00 in Grade XVIII and substituting therefor the figures \$3,985.00;

By striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$3,939.00 in Grade XIX and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$3,985.00;

By striking out the figures \$5,200.00 in Grade XXV and inserting the following figures from Minimum to Maximum:

Minimum—\$4,560.00, Step 1—\$4,768.00, Step 2—\$4,976.00, Step 3—\$5,184.00,

Maximum—\$5,400.00.

John H. O'Brien served notice on the meeting of his intention to move for reconsideration of all votes passed under Article 8.

(See amended vote at adjourned meeting of March 28, 1951.)

There being no further business under Article 8, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

At this point, a recess was taken from 9:36 P.M. to 9:41 P.M.

Paul R. Shanahan called for Article 7 to be taken from the table.

Article 7. (Amendment of Town By-Laws-Classification Plan.)

Voice and/or standing votes were then taken on each item of the substitute motion of Mr. Stratton to amend by reallocating all of the classifications which are set forth under Article 7 in the Warrant in the same manner as proposed and to the same extent as proposed by Article 7, with the exception of the item of Assistant Superintendent, Board of Public Works, which was not included in the motion, and the Moderator declared that the meeting had voted favorably upon amending the motion of the Finance Committee by reallocating all of the positions

listed with the exception of Superintendent of Parks and Recreation, and Agent, Board of Health, which motions were lost.

Thereupon, it was

VOTED: That the Classification Plan known as Schedule A, under Table I and Table II, of Article 7C, of the By-Laws, be amended by reallocating certain classifications to the salary grades as set forth in the following list:

Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works

Inspector of Wires, Grade XXI, reallocated to Grade XXII
Civil Engineer Grade 1, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII
Civil Engineer Grade 2, Grade X, reallocated to Grade XI

Board of Selectmen—Police Department

Chief of Police, Grade XXIV, reallocated to Grade XXV
Traffic Signal Maintenance Man, Grade XIV reallocated to Grade XV
Assistant Traffic Signal Maintenance Man, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Board of Selectmen—Fire Department

Chief—Fire Department, Grade XXIV, reallocated to Grade XXV

Board of Selectmen—Welfare Department

Social Work Supervisor, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X
Social Worker, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Board of Selectmen—Building Department

Inspector of Buildings, Grade XXI, reallocated to Grade XXII
Assistant Inspector of Buildings, Grade X, reallocated to Grade XI

Board of Selectmen

Moth Superintendent—Superintendent of Town House Grounds, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV
Sealer of Weights and Measures, Grade XI, reallocated to Grade XIII

Board of Public Works

Head Water Meter Reader, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X
Water Meter Reader, Grade VIII, reallocated to Grade IX
Water Registrar, Grade XI, reallocated to Grade XIX
Public Works Foreman, Grade XI, reallocated to Grade XV
Foreman of Paint, Carpenter and Blacksmith Shops, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV
General Public Works Foreman, Grade XV, reallocated to Grade XVII

Working Foreman, M.E. Repair, Grade XIII, reallocated to Grade XV

Storekeeper, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Timekeeper, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Supervisor of Motor Equipment Repair, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

Board of Park Commissioners

Park Foreman, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

School Committee

School Nurse, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Supervising School Nurse, Grade VIII, reallocated to Grade IX

Supervisor of Custodians and Maintenance, Grade XXII, reallocated to Grade XXIII

Construction Handyman, Grade VIII, reallocated to Grade IX

Board of Health

Public Health Nurse, Grade VIII, reallocated to Grade IX

Board of Assessors

Executive Secretary, Board of Assessors, Grade XXII, reallocated to Grade XXIII

Tree Warden

Tree Climber, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Principal Clerk, Grade V, reallocated to Grade VI

During the discussion of this article, notices of intention were served on the meeting to reconsider votes, as follows:

William J. O'Brien, Jr.—all votes passed under Article 7.

George A. Harris—votes passed under Article 7 for Superintendent of Parks and Recreation, and Agent, Board of Health.

Frederick Stanley Glynn, Jr.—vote passed under Article 7 on the motion of the Finance Committee as amended by the motion of Mr. Stratton.

Robert M. Boyd—votes passed under Articles 7 and 8.

(See amended votes at adjourned meeting of April 2, 1951.)

There being no further business under Article 7, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

On motion of Donald W. Black, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: To adjourn.

The meeting was declared adjourned by the Moderator at 11:04 P.M., Monday, March 26, 1951, until Wednesday, March 28, 1951, at 8:00 P.M.

A true record,

ATTEST:

JAMES J. GOLDEN
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, MARCH 28, 1951

Pursuant to the vote of adjournment of March 26, 1951, and written notices sent by mail by the Town Clerk, the town meeting members met in the Town Hall on Wednesday evening, March 28, 1951, to act upon the remaining articles set forth in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting.

Lists of the duly qualified town meeting members were used at the entrances of the meeting place and were in charge of Philip T. Robinson and James E. Sweeney. The lists contained the names of two hundred fifty-three (253) town meeting members.

The check lists filed with the Town Clerk at the close of the meeting showed that two hundred four (204) members and ten (10) members-at-large attended the meeting.

Edward J. Grace, stenographer, was sworn by the Town Clerk to the faithful performance of his duties.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Harold E. Magnuson, at 8:18 o'clock P.M.

The meeting was opened with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" by the assembly, accompanied by Mr. Augustus Mazzocca and Mr. Walter E. Russell of the School Department, and prayer offered by Rabbi Paul R. Siegel of the Belmont-Watertown Jewish Community Center.

The town meeting members who had not previously been sworn were thereupon sworn by the Moderator.

On the motion of Selectman Sorensen, as amended by George A. Harris by substituting the date Monday, April 2, 1951, for the date Friday, March 30, 1951, it was

VOTED: That if all the business of the meeting as set forth in the Warrant is not disposed of at this session, when the meeting adjourns, it adjourn to Monday evening, April 2, 1951, at 8 o'clock.

Article 12. (Acceptance of Chapter 783 of the Acts of 1950.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the provisions of Chapter 783 of the Acts of 1950, which amends Section 25 of Chapter 32 of the General Laws of Massachusetts (Tercentenary Edition), be and hereby is accepted.

There being no further business under Article 12, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 13. (Acceptance of Chapter 820 of the Acts of 1950. Re-Pensions.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the provisions of Chapter 820 of the Acts of 1950, be and hereby is accepted.

There being no further business under Article 13, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 8. (Amendment of Town By-Laws—Classification Plan and Pay Plan.)

John H. O'Brien moved, and it was duly seconded,

To reconsider the previous votes relating to that part of the substitute motion of Mr. Stratton under Article 8 which provides as follows:

"That Table I of Schedule A of the Classification Plan and Table I of Schedule B of the Pay Plan as established by Article 7C of the By-Laws be amended as follows:

By striking out the figures \$4,178.00 in Grade XX and substituting therefor the figures \$4,277.00, and

By striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$4,186.00 in Grade XXI and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$4,277.00."

The question came on the motion to reconsider and the motion carried.

Each part of Mr. Stratton's motion under consideration was then voted upon separately and the Moderator declared the motions carried.

Thereupon, it was

VOTED: That Table I of Schedule A of the Classification Plan and Table I of Schedule B of the Pay Plan as established by Article 7C of the By-Laws be and hereby is amended as follows:

By striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$3,200.00 in Grade XII and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$3,300.00;

By striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$3,245.00 in Grade XIII and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$3,300.00;

By striking out the figures \$3,939.00 in Grade XVIII and substituting therefor the figures \$3,985.00;

By Striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$3,939.00 in Grade XIX and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$3,985.00;

By striking out the figures \$4,178.00 in Grade XX and substituting therefor the figures \$4,277.00;

By striking out the words and figures Maximum—\$4,186.00 in Grade XXI and inserting in place thereof the words and figures Maximum—\$4,277.00;

By striking out the figures \$5,200.00 in Grade XXV and inserting the following figures from Minimum to Maximum:

Minimum—\$4,560.00, Step 1—\$4,768.00, Step 2—\$4,976.00, Step 3—\$5,184.00

Maximum—\$5,400.00.

There being no further business under Article 8, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 14. (Town Outlays and Expenses.)

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Article 14 be laid on the table.

Article 15. (Increase in Compensation—Board of Selectmen.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That no action be taken under Article 15 of the warrant. There being no further business under Article 15, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 16. (Treasurer: Power to Borrow.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money on and after January 1, 1952, in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1952, and to issue a note or notes therefor, payable within one year, and to renew such note or notes as may be given for a period of less than one year in accordance with Section 17 of Chapter

44 of the General Laws and any amendments thereof; any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1952.

There being no further business under Article 16, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 17. (Extension of Sewerage System—Summer Street.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the sum of five thousand eight hundred (5,800) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the extension of the sewerage system in Summer Street from the end of the present system to the Lexington line, or any part thereof; said sum to be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of the Board of Public Works.

There being no further business under Article 17, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 18. (Extension of Sewerage System—Orient Avenue.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the sum of five thousand six hundred (5,600) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the extension of the sewerage system in Orient Avenue, from its junction with Summer Street to its junction with Westmoreland Avenue, or any part thereof; said sum to be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of the Board of Public Works.

There being no further business under Article 18, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 19. (Extension of Sewerage System.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the sum of forty thousand (40,000) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the extension of the Sewerage System; said sum to be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of the Board of Public Works substantially as follows:

Extension of Sewers (including Tools and Equipment.)

There being no further business under Article 19, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 20. (Extension of Water Mains.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the sum of forty-five thousand (45,000) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the extension of water mains, said appropriation to be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of the Board of Public Works substantially as follows:

Laying and relaying water mains of not less than six inches in diameter (including Tools and Equipment.)

There being no further business under Article 20, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 21. (Extension of Storm Drains.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the sum of forty thousand (40,000) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the extension of storm drains in the year 1951; said appropriation to be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of the Board of Public Works.

There being no further business under Article 21, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 22. (Sidewalks and Edgestones.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the sum of twenty thousand (20,000) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the construction of permanent sidewalks and for the installing of edgestones in the year 1951; said sum to be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works.

There being no further business under Article 22, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 23. (Reconstruction of Streets.)

Edward G. Grey moved, and it was duly seconded,

To amend the motion of the Finance Committee by striking out the word "easement" in the sixth line from the bottom of the motion as printed in the Report of the Finance Committee and substitute therefor the word "assessment".

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was

VOTED: That the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the relocation, alteration and widening, construction of, specific repairs upon and improvement of all or any parts of Broadway, Mystic Street, Park Avenue, Massachusetts Avenue, or Pleasant Street, within the Town, as now existing or hereafter relocated, altered or widened, including land damages, if any, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments or otherwise; said appropriation to be used with any sum or sums which may be allotted by the Commonwealth or County of Middlesex, or both, for such purpose or purposes; said sum to be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of the Board of Public Works.

There being no further business under Article 23, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 24. (Laying Out of Mott Street.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the laying out of a town way from Wilson Avenue to Littlejohn Street, substantially in the location of the private way known as Mott Street, as more particularly described in Article 24 of the warrant, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, be accepted, said way established and said Joint Board authorized to take land for the purpose of said way.

There being no further business under Article 24 the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 25. (Laying Out of Edith Street.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the laying out of a town way from Margaret Street to Burch Street, substantially in the location of the private way known as Edith Street, as more particularly described in Article 25 of the warrant, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, be accepted, said way established and said Joint Board authorized to take land for the purpose of said way.

There being no further business under Article 25, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 26. (Laying Out of Cutter Hill Road.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the laying out of a town way from Richfield Road to Ridge Street, substantially in the location of the private way known

as Cutter Hill Road, as more particularly described in Article 26 of the warrant, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, be accepted, said way established and said Joint Board authorized to take land for the purpose of said way.

There being no further business under Article 26, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 27. (Laying Out of Berkeley Street.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the laying out of a town way from Wright Street to end, substantially in the location of the private way known as Berkeley Street, as more particularly described in Article 27 of the warrant, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, be accepted, said way established and said Joint Board authorized to take land for the purpose of said way.

There being no further business under Article 27, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 28. (Laying Out of Willow Court.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the laying out of a town way from Massachusetts Avenue to its present end, substantially in the location of the private way known as Willow Court, as more particularly described in Article 28 of the warrant, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, be accepted, said way established and said Joint Board authorized to take land for the purpose of said way.

There being no further business under Article 28, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 29. (Laying Out of Chester Street.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the laying out of a town way from end of accepted portion to Eastern Avenue, substantially in the location of the private way known as Chester Street, as more particularly described in Article 29 of the warrant, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk

by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, be accepted, said way established and said Joint Board authorized to take land for the purpose of said way.

There being no further business under Article 29, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 30. (Laying Out of Harold Street.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the laying out of a town way from Summer Street to Berkeley Street, substantially in the location of the private way known as Harold Street, as more particularly described in Article 30 of the warrant, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, be accepted, said way established and said Joint Board authorized to take land for the purpose of said way.

This vote was taken by count, 162 voting in the affirmative and 1 in the negative.

There being no further business under Article 30, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 31. (Laying Out of Burch Street.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the laying out of a town way from Dorothy Road to Edith Street, substantially in the location of the private way known as Burch Street, as more particularly described in Article 31 of the warrant, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, be accepted, said way established and said Joint Board authorized to take land for the purpose of said way.

There being no further business under Article 31, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 32. (Laying Out of Oak Hill Drive.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the laying out of a town way from Summer Street to Ridge Street, substantially in the location of the private way known as Oak Hill Drive, as more particularly described in Article 32 of the warrant, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the

Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, be accepted, said way established and said Joint Board authorized to take land for the purpose of said way.

This vote was taken by count, 175 voting in the affirmative and 4 in the negative.

There being no further business under Article 32, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 33. (Laying Out of Blossom Street.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the laying out of a town way from Bow Street to Lennon Road, substantially in the location of the private way known as Blossom Street, as more particularly described in Article 33 of the warrant, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, be accepted, said way established and said Joint Board authorized to take land for the purpose of said way.

There being no further business under Article 33, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 34. (Laying Out of Florence Avenue.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the laying out of a town way from Rhinecliff Street to its present end, substantially in the location of the private way known as Florence Avenue, as more particularly described in Article 34 of the warrant, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, be accepted, said way established and said Joint Board authorized to take land for the purpose of said way.

There being no further business under Article 34, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 35. (Laying Out of Oakledge Street.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the laying out of a town way from Bow Street to Park Avenue Extension, substantially in the location of the private way known as Oakledge Street, as more particularly described in Article 35 of the warrant, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as made and filed in the office of the

Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, be accepted, said way established and said Joint Board authorized to take land for the purpose of said way.

There being no further business under Article 35, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 36. (Laying Out of Rhinecliff Street.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the laying out of a town way from Appleton Street to Florence Avenue, substantially in the location of the private way known as Rhinecliff Street, as more particularly described in Article 36 of the warrant, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, as made and filed in the office of the Town Clerk by the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, be accepted, said way established and said Joint Board authorized to take land for the purpose of said way.

There being no further business under Article 36, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 37. (For Construction of Ways.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the sum of two hundred forty one thousand four hundred eight and 16/100 (241,408.16) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the original construction of public ways, the laying out of which is accepted at this meeting, including land damages, and the cost of pavements and sidewalks laid at the time of such construction, all under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments; that for this purpose the sum of twenty six thousand four hundred eight and 16/100 (26,408.16) dollars be raised by general tax, and for the balance two hundred fifteen thousand (215,000) dollars the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow the said sum of two hundred fifteen thousand (215,000) dollars and to issue bonds or notes of the Town therefor, said bonds or notes to be payable in accordance with the provisions of section 19 of Chapter 44 of the General Laws and all Acts in addition thereto or amendment thereof, so that the whole loan shall be paid in not more than ten (10) years from the date of issue of the first bond or note or at such earlier date as the Treasurer and Selectmen may determine; and further that the said sum of two hundred forty one thousand four hundred eight and 16/100 (241,408.16) dollars be expended under the direction of the Board of Public Works, substantially as follows:

Mott Street	(Article 24)	\$ 16,993.07
Edith Street	(Article 25)	6,395.95
Cutter Hill Road	(Article 26)	11,202.20
Berkeley Street	(Article 27)	16,815.60

Willow Court	(Article 28)	2,397.30
Chester Street	(Article 29)	3,210.90
Harold Street	(Article 30)	3,012.73
Burch Street	(Article 31)	10,047.69
Oak Hill Drive	(Article 32)	66,442.23
Blossom Street	(Article 33)	21,200.67
Florence Avenue	(Article 34)	36,308.26
Oakledge Street	(Article 35)	6,365.70
Rhinecliff Street	(Article 36)	41,015.86
Total		<u>\$241,408.16</u>

There being no further business under Article 37, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

At this point, a recess was taken from 9:35 P.M. to 9:40 P.M.

Article 38. (Easements in Land.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works be and hereby is authorized and empowered on behalf of the Town, to purchase or take by eminent domain or otherwise acquire, easements in land adjoining the location of ways, the laying out of which is accepted at this meeting, consisting of the right to have the land of said location protected by having the surface of such adjoining land slope from the boundaries of said locations; that for this purpose the sum of thirteen hundred (1,300) dollars be and hereby is appropriated; said sum to be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of said Joint Board.

There being no further business under Article 38, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 39. (Claims or Charges of Symmes Arlington Hospital.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the sum of sixteen thousand one hundred ninety-five and 80/100 (16,195.80) dollars be and hereby is appropriated to pay claims and charges of Symmes Arlington Hospital, including such claims and charges for aid, relief or care furnished prior to January 1, 1951, to persons falling into distress and standing in need of immediate relief; said sum to be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

There being no further business under Article 39, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 40. (Acceptance of General Laws—Re-Repairs on Private Ways.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That Section 6E of Chapter 40, as inserted by Chapter 538 of the Acts of 1950, be and hereby is accepted.

There being no further business under Article 40, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 41. (Committee on Advanced Programming and Budgeting.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That no action be taken under Article 41 of the warrant.

There being no further business under Article 41, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 42. (Acquisition of Land and Buildings—Re-Branch Library.)

John H. O'Brien moved, and it was duly seconded,

To amend the motion of the Finance Committee by substituting in place thereof the following motion:

"That no action be taken under Article 42 of the warrant".

A standing vote was taken, 43 voting in the affirmative and 133 in the negative, and the Moderator declared the motion to amend was not carried.

Thereupon, it was

VOTED: That the Board of Selectmen be and hereby is authorized and empowered on behalf of the Town to purchase or take in fee by eminent domain or otherwise acquire for Library purposes, the land, together with the structures thereon, within the Town hereinafter described, together with any interest or easements therein and any rights or easements of way or otherwise as appurtenant thereto and subject to or with any reservations of any rights or easements therein. Said parcel of land being bounded and described as follows:—

Beginning at the point of interesection of the northwesterly side line of Cleveland Street and the northeasterly side line of Massachusetts Avenue; thence northwesterly on said northeasterly side line of Massachusetts Avenue a distance of 50.02 feet to a point on said northeasterly side line of Massachusetts Avenue; thence northeasterly through Lot E and on the center line of a brick fire wall between the stores numbered 177 and 177A a distance of 51.63 feet to a point on the division line between lot E and Lot D; thence southeasterly on said division line between Lot E and Lot D a distance of 51.33 feet to a point on the north-

westerly side line of Cleveland Street; thence southwesterly on said northwesterly side line of Cleveland Street a distance of 53 feet to the point of beginning and containing 2645 square feet more or less and being the southeasterly portion of the premises shown as Lot E on a plan by L. G. Brackett & Co., Engineers, dated Dec. 10, 1927 and filed at the Registry of Deeds, East Cambridge, Mass. in Plan Book 409, P.36.

That for the purpose of such purchase, taking or acquisition, the sum of Fifteen Thousand and Seven Hundred and Fifty (\$15,750.00) Dollars be and hereby is appropriated; said sum to be raised by General Tax and expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

This vote was taken by count, 138 voting in the affirmative and 29 in the negative.

Edward W. Murphy, Jr. served notice on the meeting of his intention to move for reconsideration of the vote passed under Article 42.

There being no further business under Article 42, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 43. (Demolishing the Industrial Arts School Building.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the Moderator be and hereby is instructed to appoint a committee of five (5) registered voters of the Town, including one (1) member of the School Committee, for the purpose of considering, investigating and studying the use of, or the disposal of, the wooden building at the corner of Irving Street and Academy Street, known as the Junior High School Industrial Arts; said committee to report at the next Special Town Meeting, if any, but not later than the Annual Meeting of 1952; and that the sum of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the use of said Committee; said sum to be raised by General Tax.

There being no further business under Article 43, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 44. (Improvements and Reconstruction—Russell School.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the Moderator be and hereby is instructed to appoint a committee of five (5) registered voters of the Town for the purpose of considering, investigating and studying alterations, improvements or reconstruction of the present Russell School or for the construction of a new building, including furniture and equipment; said committee to report at the next Special Town Meeting, if any, but not later than the Annual Town Meeting of 1952; and that the sum of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the use of said committee; said sum to be raised by General Tax.

There being no further business under Article 44, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 45. (Junior High School Center.)

On motion of John P. Morine of the School Committee, duly seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That Article 45 be laid on the table.

Article 46. (Added Appropriation—Re-Addition Robbins Memorial Town Hall.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That no action be taken under Article 46 of the warrant.

There being no further business under Article 46, the Moderator declared is disposed of.

Article 45. (Junior High School Center) (Resumed)

On motion of John P. Morine of the School Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Article 45 be taken from the table.

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the Moderator be and hereby is instructed to appoint a committee of five (5) registered voters of the Town, including one member of the School Committee, for the purpose of considering, investigating and studying the use of the building at the corner of Academy Street and Maple Street; said committee to report at the next Special Town Meeting, if any, but not later than the Annual Town Meeting of 1952; and that the sum of One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the use of said committee; said sum to be raised by General Tax.

There being no further business under Article 45, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

George A. Harris served notice on the meeting of his intention to move for reconsideration of all votes passed under Articles 43, 44 and 45.

(See amended vote under Article 45 at adjourned meeting of April 12, 1951.)

Article 47. (Transfer of Cemetery Funds.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars be and hereby is transferred from (Mount Pleasant Cemetery) sale of lots and graves fund to the Cemetery Commissioners for the improvement of the Town Cemetery.

There being no further business under Article 47, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 48. (Appointment of Committee — Re- Fire Prevention Code.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the Moderator be and hereby is instructed to appoint a committee of five (5) registered voters of the Town, for the purpose of investigating and considering the need of a Fire Prevention Code for the Town of Arlington, said committee to report the result of its investigation with recommendations at a town meeting not later than the annual meeting of 1952; and that the sum of two hundred (200) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the use of said committee; said sum to be raised by general tax.

There being no further business under Article 48, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 49. (Honor Roll Board.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the sum of two hundred (200) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the purpose of repairing, maintenance and upkeep of the Honor Roll Board; said sum to be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of the Board of Park Commissioners.

There being no further business under Article 49, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 50. (Appointment of Committee — Re- Garage For Town Vehicles.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the Moderator be and hereby is instructed to appoint a committee of three to investigate and consider the advisability of the erection and maintenance of a central garage for Town vehicles; said committee to report at the next Special Town Meeting, if any, but

not later than the Annual Town Meeting of 1952; and that the sum of two hundred (200) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the use of said committee; said sum to be raised by general tax.

There being no further business under Article 50, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 51. (Revision of Boundaries of Voting Precincts.)

Hallam T. Ring moved, and it was duly seconded,

To amend the motion of the Finance Committee by substituting in place thereof the following motion:

"That the Selectmen be directed to review the precinct boundaries of the Town."

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend was unanimously carried.

On motion of Roscoe O. Elliott, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: To adjourn.

The meeting was declared adjourned by the Moderator at 11:04 P.M., Wednesday, March 28, 1951, until Monday, April 2, 1951 at 8:00 P.M.

A true record, ATTEST:

JAMES J. GOLDEN
Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, APRIL 2, 1951

Pursuant to the vote of adjournment of March 28, 1951, and written notices sent by mail by the Town Clerk, the town meeting members met in the Town Hall on Monday evening, April 2, 1951, to act upon the remaining articles set forth in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting.

Lists of the duly qualified town meeting members were used at the entrances of the meeting place and were in charge of Philip T. Robinson and James E. Sweeney. The lists contained the names of two hundred fifty-three (253) town meeting members.

The check lists filed with the Town Clerk at the close of the meeting showed that two hundred nineteen (219) members and nine (9) members-at-large attended the meeting.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Harold E. Magnuson, at 8:10 o'clock P.M.

The meeting was opened with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" by the assembly, accompanied by Mr. Augustus Mazzocca and Mr. Walter E. Russell of the School Department, and prayer offered by Rev. Oscar R. O'Gorman, Administrator of St. Agnes' Church.

On motion of Selectmen Sorensen, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That if all the business of the meeting as set forth in the Warrant is not disposed of at this session, when the meeting adjourns, it adjourn to Thursday evening, April 5, 1951 at 8 o'clock.

Article 51. (Revision of Boundaries of Voting Precincts.) (Resumed)

The Moderator declared that Article 51 was under consideration when the meeting adjourned on Wednesday evening and that the motion of the Finance Committee, as amended by the substitute motion of Mr. Ring, was now before the meeting.

Thereupon, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the Selectmen be directed to review the precinct boundaries of the Town.

There being no further business under Article 51, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 7. (Amendment of Town By-Laws — Classification Plan.)

On motion of Frederick Stanley Glynn, Jr., duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the vote on the motion of the Finance Committee under Article 7, as amended by the vote on Mr. Stratton's substitute motion, be reconsidered.

This vote was taken by count, 143 voting in the affirmative and 60 in the negative.

Robert M. Boyd moved, and it was duly seconded,

That the vote on the substitute motion of Mr. Stratton to amend the Classification Plan by reallocating the position of Agent, Board of Health, from Grade XVII to Grade XIX, be reconsidered.

On being put to a standing vote, 171 having voted in the affirmative and 15 in the negative, the Moderator declared the motion to reconsider carried.

A vote was then taken on the motion to reallocate the classified position of Agent, Board of Health, from Grade XVII to Grade XIX, and the Moderator declared the motion was carried.

George A. Harris moved, and it was duly seconded,

To amend the motion of the Finance Committee, as previously amended, by inserting in it provisions for amending the Classification Plan by reallocating the classified positions of "Assistant Superintendent of Public Works, from Grade XXI to Grade XXII", and "Superintendent of Parks and Recreation, from Grade XXII to Grade XXIII".

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend was unanimously carried.

Thereupon, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the Classification Plan known as Schedule A, under Table I and Table II, of Article 7C of the By-Laws, be amended by reallocating certain classifications to the salary grades as set forth in the following list:

Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works

Inspector of Wires, Grade XXI, reallocated to Grade XXII

Civil Engineer Grade 1, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Civil Engineer Grade 2, Grade X, reallocated to Grade XI

Board of Selectmen—Police Department

Chief of Police, Grade XXIV, reallocated to Grade XXV

Traffic Signal Maintenance Man, Grade XIV reallocated to Grade XV

Assistant Traffic Signal Maintenance Man, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Board of Selectmen—Fire Department

Chief—Fire Department, Grade XXIV, reallocated to Grade XXV

Board of Selectmen—Welfare Department

Social Work Supervisor, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Social Worker, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Board of Selectmen—Building Department

Inspector of Buildings, Grade XXI, reallocated to Grade XXII

Assistant Inspector of Buildings, Grade X, reallocated to Grade XI

Board of Selectmen

Moth Superintendent—Superintendent of Town House Grounds, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

Sealer of Weights and Measures, Grade XI, reallocated to Grade XIII

Board of Public Works

Head Water Meter Reader, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Water Meter Reader, Grade VIII, reallocated Grade IX

Water Registrar, Grade XI, reallocated to Grade XIX

Public Works Foreman, Grade XI, reallocated to Grade XV

Foreman of Paint, Carpenter and Blacksmith Shops, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

General Public Works Foreman, Grade XV, reallocated to Grade XVII

Working Foreman, M.E. Repair, Grade XIII, reallocated to Grade XV

Storekeeper, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Timekeeper, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Supervisor of Motor Equipment Repair, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

Assistant Superintendent of Public Works, Grade XXI, reallocated to Grade XXII.

Board of Park Commissioners

Superintendent of Parks and Recreation, Grade XXII, reallocated to Grade XXIII

Park Foreman, Grade XIV, reallocated to Grade XV

School Committee

School Nurse, Grade VII, reallocated to Grade VIII

Supervising School Nurse, Grade VIII, reallocated to Grade IX

Supervisor of Custodians and Maintenance, Grade XXII, reallocated to Grade XXIII

Construction Handyman, Grade VIII, reallocated to Grade IX

Board of Health

Agent, Board of Health, Grade XVII, reallocated to Grade XIX

Public Health Nurse, Grade VIII, reallocated to Grade IX

Board of Assessors

Executive Secretary, Board of Assessors, Grade XXII, reallocated to Grade XXIII

Tree Warden

Tree Climber, Grade IX, reallocated to Grade X

Principal Clerk, Grade V, reallocated to Grade VI.

There being no further business under Article 7, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 52. (Amendment of Zoning By-Law—area on Broadway and Sunnyside Avenue.)

John O. Parker of the Planning Board presented the report of said Planning Board upon the proposed amendment of the Town's Zoning By-Law under Article 52, and on motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the report of the Planning Board be received.

John O. Parker of the Planning Board moved, and it was duly seconded,

That the Town amend its Zoning Map and its Zoning By-Law by including in the Business "A" District the area now included in the Residence "B" district bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the northwesterly property line of lots situated on the northwesterly side of Sunnyside Avenue said point being a distance of 100.00 feet perpendicularly from the northeasterly side line of Broadway and being the point of intersection of said northwesterly property lines and a line 100.00 feet from and parallel to the

northeasterly side line of Broadway; thence northeasterly along the said northwesterly property lines, the said northwesterly property lines being 110.00 feet from and parallel to the said northwesterly side line of Sunnyside Avenue, a distance of 303.45 feet to a point, said point being the intersection of the northwesterly property line of lot C and the southwesterly property line of lot 50; thence northwesterly along the southwesterly property lines of lots 50, 49 R, 47 and Pt. 17 a distance of 212.75 feet to a point, said point being the intersection of the southwesterly property line of lot 17 and the southeasterly property line of lot 9; thence southwesterly along the southeasterly property lines of lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14 a distance of 300.00 feet to a point, said point being the intersection of the southeasterly and southwesterly property lines of lot 14; thence northwesterly along the said southwesterly property line of lot 14 a distance of 92.10 feet to the southeasterly side line of Silk Street; thence southwesterly along said side line of Silk Street 48.29 feet to a point, which point is on the line previously designated as being parallel to Broadway and 100.00 feet therefrom; thence southeasterly along said line, said line also being the division line of the Business A District and the Residence B District, a distance of 298.31 feet to the point of beginning and containing 71,394 square feet more or less area all as shown on Block Plan No. 33 on file in the office of the Town Engineer, Arlington, Massachusetts.

Following discussion, a standing vote was taken, 108 having voted in the affirmative and 86 in the negative, and the motion, lacking a two-thirds vote as required by statute, was declared lost by the Moderator.

William S. Craig served notice on the meeting of his intention to move for reconsideration of the vote passed under Article 52.

There being no further business under Article 52, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 53. (Proposed legislation restricting land use on Concord Turnpike.)

John O. Parker of the Planning Board presented the report of said Planning Board upon the proposed legislation, as set forth in Article 53, which would restrict the use of land abutting the Concord Turnpike, and on motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the report of the Planning Board be received.

On motion of John O. Parker of the Planning Board, duly seconded it was

VOTED: That no action be taken under Article 53 of the warrant.

There being no further business under Article 53, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: To adjourn.

The meeting was declared adjourned by the Moderator at 10:40 P.M., Monday, April 2, 1951, until Thursday, April 5, 1951, at 8:00 P.M.

A true record, ATTEST:

JAMES J. GOLDEN,

Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, APRIL 5, 1951

Pursuant to the vote of adjournment of April 2, 1951, and written notices sent by mail by the Town Clerk, the town meeting members met in the Town Hall on Thursday evening, April 5, 1951, to act upon the remaining articles set forth in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting.

Lists of the duly qualified town meeting members were used at the entrances of the meeting place and were in charge of Philip T. Robinson and James E. Sweeney. The lists contained the names of two hundred fifty-three (253) town meeting members.

The check lists filed with the Town Clerk at the close of the meeting showed that two hundred ten (210) members and eight (8) members-at-large attended the meeting.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Harold E. Magnuson, at 8:05 o'clock P.M.

The meeting was opened with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" by the assembly, accompanied by Mr. Augustus Mazzocca and Mr. Walter E. Russell of the School Department, and prayer offered by Rev. John Nicol Mark, Minister of the First Congregational Parish, Unitarian Church.

On motion of Selectman Sorensen, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That if all the business of the meeting as set forth in the Warrant is not disposed of at this session, when the meeting adjourns, it adjourn to Monday evening, April 9, 1951, at 8 o'clock.

Article 54. (Amendment of Zoning By-Law — area on Concord Turnpike in East Arlington.)

John O. Parker of the Planning Board presented the report of said Planning Board upon the proposed amendment of the Town's Zoning By-Law under Article 54, and on motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the report of the Planning Board be received.

On motion of John O. Parker of the Planning Board, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the Town amend its Zoning Map and its Zoning By-Law by including in the Business "A" District the area now included in the Residence "B" District bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the point of intersection of the Northerly side line of Concord Turnpike and the Easterly side line of land of Foley; thence running Northerly by land of Foley and Lee a distance of 318.44 feet to the Southwesterly corner of Lot L; thence Northerly by land of Lee along the Westerly side line of Lot L a distance of 100 feet to the Southerly side line of Dorothy Road; thence Easterly on said Southerly side line of Dorothy Road a distance of 300 feet to the Northerly corner of Lot G; thence Southerly on the lot line between Lot G and Lot 23 a distance of 100 feet; thence Easterly by Lots 23, 24 and 24A, 207, 206, 205, Parker Street, 204 and 203, a distance of 406.36 feet to a point; thence Southerly by the rear line of Lots 317, 316 and 315 a distance of 178.95 feet to the Southwesterly corner of Lot 315; thence Easterly along the Southerly line of said Lot 315 a distance of 110 feet to a point in the center line of Burch Street; thence Southerly along said center line of Burch Street a distance of 174.55 feet to an angle point; thence continuing Southerly by land of Pearl and land of the Town of Arlington a distance of 678.58 feet to the Northerly side line of Concord Turnpike; thence Northwesterly along said Northerly side line of Concord Turnpike a distance of 1277.43 feet to the point of beginning.

All as shown on a Plan of Land in Arlington, Mass. Scale 1 inch 80 degrees Dec. 1950 G. B. Northrup C. E. Belmont.

This vote was taken by count, 148 voting in the affirmative and 50 in the negative, and the motion was declared by the Moderator to have carried by more than a two-thirds vote as required by statute.

More than twenty town meeting members obviously having requested a roll call, a roll call vote was then taken by the Town Clerk, following which the meeting was in recess from 10:15 P.M. to 10:30 P.M.

On the roll call with respect to the motion of the Planning Board to amend the Zoning By-Law, 153 having voted in the affirmative and 57 in the negative, the motion was declared carried by the Moderator by more than a two-thirds vote.

John M. Falvey thereupon served notice on the meeting of his intention to move for reconsideration of Article 54 at a later session.

There being no further business under Article 54, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 55. (Appointment of Committee-Re-Amending Town By-Laws.)

It was moved and seconded,

That the Moderator be and hereby is instructed to appoint a committee of five, for the purpose of investigating, considering, and making recommendations relative to amending the by-laws of the Town by inserting a provision that when any article in the Warrant is under consideration, the meeting may vote by ballot upon such article; said

committee to report at the next Special Town Meeting, if any, but not later than the Annual Town Meeting of 1952; and that the sum of two hundred (200) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the use of said committee; said sum to be raised by general tax.

Following discussion, a standing vote was taken, 74 voting in the affirmative and 110 in the negative, and the motion was declared lost by the Moderator.

Allen H. Thomson served notice on the meeting of his intention to move for reconsideration of Article 55 at a later session.

There being no further business under Article 55, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 56. (Amendment of Town By-Laws.)

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That Article 56 be laid on the table.

Article 57. (Amendment of Town By-Laws.)

George A. Harris moved, and it was duly seconded,

To amend the motion of the Finance Committee by inserting at the end thereof the following: "Revised (Seventy-Fifth Anniversary Edition)".

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was unanimously

VOTED: That Section 9 of Article 2 of the Town's By-Laws, be and hereby is amended by striking out the words "Cushing's Manual" and inserting in place thereof the words "Robert's Rules of Order Revised", (Seventy-Fifth Anniversary Edition).

There being no further business under Article 57, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 56. (Amendment of Town By-Laws.) (Resumed)

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Article 56 be taken from the table.

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That no action be taken under Article 56 of the warrant.

There being no further business under Article 56, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 58. (Acceptance of General Laws.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the provisions of Section 6A of Chapter 40 of the General Laws of Massachusetts (Tercentenary Edition) known as "municipal advertising", be and hereby is accepted.

There being no further business under Article 58, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 59. (Ornamental Lighting — Christmas Holiday Season.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the sum of three thousand dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the purpose of providing ornamental and additional light to the Town during the Christmas Holiday Season; that for this purpose the sum of twenty five hundred (2500) dollars be taken from the unexpended balance appropriated for Ornamental Lighting under Article 20, of the Special Town Meeting of October 2, 1950, and that the sum of five hundred (500) dollars be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

There being no further business under Article 59, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 60. (Release of Flowage Rights.)

Joseph S. Vahey moved, and it was duly seconded,

To amend the motion of the Finance Committee by substituting in place thereof the following motion:

"That the Town of Arlington release all right, title and interest in and to flowage rights acquired under a deed from George Flint et als to said Town, dated January 4, 1888, recorded in Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds in Book 1836 Page 468 in so far as said rights apply to the following described property, namely:

A certain parcel of land situated in Lexington, County of Middlesex, Commonwealth of Massachusetts, situate on Curve Street in the East Village of said Lexington and containing about three fourths of an

acre and bounded on Lot 14 on a plan of house lots drawn by C. R. Richardson; thence on Curve Street to a private way, thence by said private way to the Southern Division of the Boston & Maine Railroad; thence by said Railroad's land to Lot numbered fourteen; thence by said Lot numbered 14 three hundred ten (310) feet and four (4) inches to the point first mentioned on said Curve Street. Said land being lots numbered fifteen and sixteen on said plan, more or less.

Also a certain parcel of land situated in that part of said Lexington called East Lexington, bounded and described as follows:

Beginning on the Easterly side of the location of the Lexington Branch of the Boston and Maine Railroad, formerly known as the Middlesex Central Railroad, at land now or formerly of David Hall; thence running Northwesterly on said Location of said Railroad to land now or late of Tyler; thence running Northeasterly on said land now or late of Tyler 749.21 feet to land of the Town of Arlington; thence running Southeasterly on said land of the Town of Arlington 325.93 feet to a stake; thence running Southerly on said land 307.15 feet to land now or late of Hall at a point distant Easterly from said Railroad location 531.85 feet; thence turning and running Southwesterly on said Hall's land 531.85 feet to the point of beginning.

Being the same premises referred to in a deed from William F. Fletcher to William F. Fletcher and Alice May Fletcher, as joint tenants, dated July 3, 1942, recorded in said Registry of Deeds Book 6613 Page 54."

Following discussion of the substitute motion of Mr. Vahey, on motion of Hallam T. Ring, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Article 60 be laid on the table.

On motion of Lawrence E. Corcoran, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: To adjourn.

The meeting was declared adjourned by the Moderator at 11:05 P.M., Thursday, April 5, 1951, until Monday, April 9, 1951, at 8:00 P.M.

A true record, ATTEST:

JAMES J. GOLDEN

Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, APRIL 9, 1951

Pursuant to the vote of adjournment of April 5, 1951, and written notices sent by mail by the Town Clerk, the town meeting members met in the Town Hall on Monday evening, April 9, 1951, to act upon the remaining articles set forth in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting.

Lists of the duly qualified town meeting members were used at the entrances of the meeting place and were in charge of Philip T. Robinson and James E. Sweeney. The lists contained the names of two hundred fifty-three (253) town meeting members.

The check lists filed with the Town Clerk at the close of the meeting showed that two hundred twelve (212) members and nine (9) members-at-large attended the meeting.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Harold E. Magnuson, at 8:10 o'clock P.M.

The meeting was opened with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" by the assembly, accompanied by Mr. Augustus Mazzocca and Mr. Walter E. Russell of the School Department, and prayer offered by Rev. Charles E. Pedersen, Minister of Calvary Methodist Church.

On motion of Selectman Sorensen, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That if all the business of the meeting as set forth in the Warrant is not disposed of at this session, when the meeting adjourns, it adjourn to Thursday evening, April 12, 1951, at 8 o'clock.

Motion to Reconsider

Article 54. (Amendment of Zoning By-Law—area on Concord Turnpike in East Arlington.)

John M. Falvey moved, and it was duly seconded,

"That the vote on the motion of the Planning Board under Article 54 be reconsidered."

On being put to a vote, the motion was declared lost by the Moderator.

Motion to Reconsider

Article 52. (Amendment of Zoning By-Law—area on Broadway and Sunnyside Avenue.)

William S. Craig moved, and it was duly seconded,

"That the vote on the motion of the Planning Board under Article 52 be reconsidered."

On being put to a standing vote, 133 having voted in the affirmative, 71 in the negative, and 136 being needed for a two-thirds vote, the motion was declared lost by the Moderator.

More than twenty town meeting members obviously having requested a roll call, a roll call vote was then taken by the Town Clerk, following which the meeting was in recess from 9:15 P.M. to 9:25 P.M.

On the roll call with respect to the motion of Mr. Craig to reconsider the previous vote of the Town Meeting under Article 52, 138 having voted in the affirmative, 75 in the negative, and 142 being needed for a two-thirds vote, the motion to reconsider was declared lost by the Moderator.

Article 14. (Town Outlays and Expenses.)

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Article 14 be taken from the table.

On motion duly made and seconded, it was

Voted:

1. FINANCE COMMITTEE

Personal Services	\$	1,100.00
Expenses ..	\$	700.00
Total—		\$1,800.00

Detail

Personal Services:

Chairman ..	\$	250.00
Secretary ..		100.00
Executive Secretary		750.00
	\$	1,100.00

Voted:

1a. PERSONNEL BOARD

Personal Services	\$	5,460.00
Expenses	\$	975.00
Total—		\$6,435.00

Detail

Personal Services:

Executive Secretary	\$	3,653.00
Senior Clerk & Stenographer		1,807.00
	\$	5,460.00

2. BOARD OF SELECTMEN

G. Bertram Washburn moved, and it was duly seconded,

To amend the motion of the Finance Committee by inserting under Item 2, Board of Selectmen, an item reading "Parking Lot Expense, \$1,000.00."

Malcolm H. Masters moved, and it was duly seconded,

That the motion of Mr. Washburn be further amended by providing that the amount of one thousand (1,000) dollars be taken from the Parking Meter Fund.

Following discussion, on motion of George A. Harris, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Item 2 under Article 14 of the motion of the Finance Committee be laid on the table.

3. TOWN ACCOUNTANT. (Board of Selectmen)

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That \$91.00 be added to Item 3, Town Accountant, under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal Services be changed to read \$13,063.00, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$13,708.00.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

3. TOWN ACCOUNTANT (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services	\$	13,063.00
Expenses	\$	645.00
Total—\$13,708.00		

Voted:

4. TOWN TREASURER AND COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Personal Services	\$	24,294.00
Expenses	\$	7,300.00
Expenses incurred outside the Commonwealth as described in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 5, Paragraph 34		
	\$	350.00
Total—\$31,944.00		
To be raised by general tax	\$30,744.00	
To be taken from the Parking Meter Fund	1,200.00	
		<u>\$31,944.00</u>

Detail — Personal Services

Treasurer and Collector	\$	5,700.00
Chief Clerk — Treasurer		3,510.00
Other Clerks		13,884.00
Collection of Parking Meter Funds		1,200.00
	\$	<u>24,294.00</u>

5. BOARD OF ASSESSORS

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That \$273.00 be added to Item 5, Board of Assessors, under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal Services be changed to read \$14,472.00, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$16,437.00.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

5. BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Personal Services	\$	14,472.00
Expenses	\$	1,965.00
Total—\$16,437.00		

Voted:

6. LEGAL (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services:

Town Counsel	\$	2,500.00
Expenses: Legal expenses including among others, expenses relating to the prosecution, defense or settlement of actions or claims by, against or involving the interests of the Town or relating to matters for which there have been or may be special appropriations	\$	10,000.00
Total—\$12,500.00		

On motion of George A. Harris, duly seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the Moderator be and hereby is instructed to appoint a committee of five, consisting of the Moderator and four town meeting members, for the purpose of making recommendations relative to the Rules for Government of Town Meetings, as contained in Article 2 of the By-Laws of the Town of Arlington and their clarity as guided, by Robert's Rules of Order Revised, (Seventy-Fifth Anniversary Edition); said committee to report at the next Special Town Meeting, if any, but not later than the Annual Town Meeting of 1952.

Voted:

7. TOWN CLERK

Personal Services	\$	11,653.34
Expenses	\$	2,733.00
Capital Outlay	\$	474.00
Total—\$14,860.34		
Detail		
Personal Services		
Town Clerk	\$	5,400.00
Assistant Town Clerk		3,133.00
Other Clerks		2,167.00
Clerk & Stenographer from May 1, 1951 ..		953.34
	\$	11,653.34

8. BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

General Administration

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That the figures where they occur in Item 8, Board of Public Works—General Administration, Assistant Superintendent of Public Works, \$4186.00, be amended to read \$789.80; further that there be added the figures \$537.00 under Personal Services, and that the total figures under Personal Services be amended to read \$39,997.30, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$45,948.30.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

8. BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS

General Administration

Personal Services	\$	39,997.30
Expenses	\$	5,951.00
Total—\$45,948.30		
Detail—Personal Services		
Chairman of Board	\$	800.00
Other Board Members		1,200.00
Executive Secretary and Head Clerk ..		4,420.00
Supt. of Public Works		4,984.00
Ass't. Supt. of Public Works		789.80
Water Registrar		3,848.00
Other Clerks including Timekeeper and Stockkeeper		22,938.50
Emergency Clerk Hire		480.00
		537.00
	\$	39,997.30

9. ENGINEERING (Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works)

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That \$1,001.00 be added to Item 9, Engineering, under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal Services be changed to read \$44,212.00, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$47,286.00.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

9. ENGINEERING (Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works)

Personal Services	\$	44,212.00
Expenses	\$	2,924.00
Capital Outlay	\$	150.00
Total—\$47,286.00		

Voted:

10. ELECTIONS AND TOWN MEETINGS (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services	\$	7,409.50
Expenses ...	\$	6,080.76
Total—\$13,490.26		

Voted:

11. PLANNING BOARD

Chairman	\$	100.00
Secretary		100.00
Total—Personal Services	\$	200.00
Expenses	\$	800.00
Total—\$1,000.00		

Voted:

12. BOARD OF SURVEY (Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works)

Secretary of Board	\$	1,300.00
Clerk		1,040.00
Total—Personal Services	\$	2,340.00
Expenses	\$	785.00
Total—\$3,125.00		

Voted:

13. ROBBINS MEMORIAL TOWN HALL (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services	\$	11,037.00
Expenses	\$	9,230.00
Detail—Personal Services		
Superintendent	\$	4,060.00
Sr. Building Custodian		3,133.00
Jr. Building Custodian		2,444.00
Others		1,400.00
	\$	11,037.00

TOWN HOUSE GROUNDS

Personal Services		
Superintendent	\$	270.00
Others		5,600.00
Total—Personal Services	\$	5,870.00
Expenses	\$	885.00
Capital Outlay		
Enlargement of Parking Space in rear of Town Hall	\$	3,000.00
Total—\$30,022.00		

14. POLICE DEPARTMENT (Board of Selectmen)

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That \$5,950.72 be added to Item 14, Police Department, under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal Services be changed to read \$251,531.35, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$278,114.85

On motion of Selectman Sorensen to amend the substitute motion of Mr. Hayes, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the figures \$245,580.63, as they appear in Budget No. 14, under the item "Personal Services," be amended to read \$252,232.23, and that the figures \$21,842.00, as they appear in Budget No. 14, under the item "Expenses," be amended to read \$23,442.00, and that the figures \$272,164.13, as they appear under the item "Total," be amended to read \$280,415.73.

A vote was then taken on the motion of Mr. Hayes, as amended by the vote on Mr. Sorensen's motion, and the Moderator declared the motion carried.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

14. POLICE DEPARTMENT (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services	\$	252,232.23
Expenses	\$	23,442.00
Expenses incurred outside the Commonwealth as described in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 5, Paragraph 34	\$	300.00
Capital Outlay		
4 New Automobiles	\$	6,800.00
Less allowance on 3 —		
1950 Chevrolets	3,000.00	
1—1949 Chevrolet	700.00	3,100.00
Emergency Kohler Electric Power Plant, Model 5A21, 5 KW, 115 volt, A. C. Electric Plant		
		1,341.50
Total Capital Outlay	\$	4,441.50
Total—\$280,415.73		

14a. PARKING METERS (Board of Selectmen)

On motion of George A. Harris, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Item 14a under Article 14 be laid on the table.

15. FIRE DEPARTMENT (Board of Selectmen)

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded.

That \$6,602.60 be added to Item 15, Fire Department, under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal Services be changed to read \$318,152.92, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$357,757.92.

On motion of Selectmen Sorensen to amend the substitute motion of Mr. Hayes, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the figures \$17,030.00, as they appear in Budget No. 15, under the item "Expenses," be amended to read \$18,530.00, and that the figures \$351,155.32, as they appear under the item "Total," be amended to read \$359,257.92.

A vote was then taken on the motion of Mr. Hayes, as amended by the motion of Mr. Sorensen, and the Moderator declared the motion carried.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

15. FIRE DEPARTMENT (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services	\$	318,152.92
Expenses	\$	18,530.00
Expenses incurred outside the Commonwealth as described in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 5, Paragraph 34	\$	250.00
Capital Outlay		
New Furnishings & Equipment	\$	275.00
Hose		2,000.00
Fire Apparatus, Replacing Engine 4		18,250.00
New Automobile	\$ 2,300.00	
Allowance on 1946 Oldsmobile	500.00	1,800.00
Total Capital Outlay	\$	22,325.00
Total—\$359,257.92		

Voted:

16. FIRE AND POLICE SIGNALS (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services:		
Signal Maintainer ..	\$	2,734.36

Temporary Labor		500.00
Total—Personal Services	\$	3,234.36
Expenses	\$	9,566.00
Expenses incurred outside the Commonwealth as described in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 5, Paragraph 34	\$	100.00
Capital Outlay		
Fire and Police Alarm Boxes, including Material and Labor to install	\$	3,947.50
2-Way Radio Unit		700.00
Auxiliary Generator 15 KW		2,745.00
Total—Capital Outlay	\$	7,392.50
Total—\$20,292.86		

17. BUILDING, PLUMBING AND GAS INSPECTION (Board of Selectmen)

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That \$377.00 be added to Item 17, Building, Plumbing and Gas Inspection, under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal Services be changed to read \$12,649.00, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$15,138.50.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

17. BUILDING, PLUMBING AND GAS INSPECTION (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services	\$	12,649.00
Expenses ...	\$	1,339.00
Capital Outlay		
New Automobile	\$	1,550.50
Less Allowance on 1946 Ford	400.00	\$ 1,150.50
Total—\$15,138.50		

Voted:

18. BOARDS OF APPEAL (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services	\$	3,121.00
Expenses	\$	543.75
Total—\$3,664.75		

Detail—Personal Services

Board of Appeals (Zoning)	\$	1,650.00
Board of Appeal (Building)		600.00
Jr. Clerk-Stenographer		871.00
	\$	3,121.00

19. WIRE DEPARTMENT (Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works)

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That \$234.00 be added to Item 19, Wire Department, under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal Services be changed to read \$4,520.00, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$5,600.00.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

19. WIRE DEPARTMENT (Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works)

Personal Services	\$	4,520.00
Expenses	\$	930.00
Expenses incurred outside the Commonwealth as described in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 5, Paragraph 34	\$	150.00
Total—\$5,600.00		

Voted:

20. SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services — Sealer	\$	3,133.00
Expenses	\$	655.00
Total—\$3,788.00		

21. GYPSY AND BROWN TAIL MOTH SUPPRESSION (Board of Selectmen)

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That \$195.00 be added to Item 21, Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth Suppression, under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal

Services be changed to read \$13,742.50, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$18,072.50.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

21. GYPSY AND BROWN TAIL MOTH SUPPRESSION (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services	\$	13,742.50
Expenses	\$	3,030.00
Expenses incurred outside the Commonwealth as described in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 5, Paragraph 34		
Capital Outlay	\$	200.00
New Automobile	\$1,556.50	
Less allowance on 1946 Chevrolet ..	456.50	\$ 1,100.00
Total—	\$18,072.50	

22. TREE WARDEN

Roscoe O. Elliott moved, and it was duly seconded,

To amend the motion of the Finance Committee by changing the figures under Expenses to read \$1,585.00, and Capital Outlay to read \$6,700.00, and the total for the budget to read \$17,570.50.

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee to amend the substitute motion of Mr. Elliott, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the figures \$9,285.50, as they appear under the item "Personal Services", be amended to read \$9,675.50, and that the figures \$17,570.50, as they appear under the item "Total", be amended to read \$17,960.50.

A vote was then taken on the motion of Mr. Elliott, as amended by the vote on Mr. Hayes' motion, and the Moderator declared the motion carried.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

22. TREE WARDEN

Personal Services	\$	9,675.50
Expenses	\$	1,585.00
Capital Outlay	\$	6,700.00
Total—	\$17,960.50	

23. BOARD OF HEALTH

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That \$433.00 be added to Item 23, Board of Health, under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal Services be changed to read \$13,223.00, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$44,924.00.

On motion of Edward G. Grey to amend the substitute motion of Mr. Hayes, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the figures for Personal Services be amended to read \$12,790.00.

A vote was then taken on the motion of Mr. Hayes, as amended by the motion of Mr. Grey, and the Moderator declared the motion carried.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

23. BOARD OF HEALTH

Personal Services	\$	12,790.00
Expenses	\$	1,975.00
Capital Outlay	\$	159.00
Communicable Diseases	\$	25,000.00
Mosquito Control Project	\$	2,000.00
Premature Baby Care	\$	3,000.00
Total—44,924.00		

Voted:

24. INSPECTOR OF ANIMALS (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services	\$	600.00
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Voted:

25. SEWER MAINTENANCE (Board of Public Works)

Maintenance of Sewerage System (Including Tools and Equipment)	\$	13,000.00
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26. SANITARY DIVISION (Board of Public Works)

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That \$233.75 be added to Item 26, Sanitary Division, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$195,233.75.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

26. SANITARY DIVISION (Board of Public Works)

Removal of Ashes, Offal and Rubbish; Wages, Equipment, Dump Maintenance, etc., Materials and Supplies	\$	195,233.75
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On motion of George A. Harris, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Item 14a under Article 14 be taken from the table.

14a. PARKING METERS (Board of Selectmen)

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That \$62.44 be added to Item 14a, Parking Meters, under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal Services be changed to read \$3,168.96, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$4,826.34, and that the figures \$2,905.90, to be taken from the Parking Meter Fund, be changed to read \$2,968.34.

On motion of G. Bertram Washburn to amend the substitute motion of Mr. Hayes, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the motion of Mr. Hayes be amended so as to provide that the item "Expenses" be changed to read \$2,515.00, and that the total for the budget be changed to read \$5,826.34, to be taken from unexpended balances:

Parking Meters—Personal Services	\$	1,427.98
Expenses		430.02
From the Parking Meter Fund		3,968.34
	\$	5,826.34

A vote was then taken on the motion of Mr. Hayes, as amended by the motion of Mr. Washburn, and the Moderator declared the motion carried.

Hallam T. Ring moved, and it was duly seconded,

That the motion be amended to insert after the word "Expense" the words "including the repair and maintenance of the Center Parking Lot".

On being put to a vote, the motion to amend was declared carried by the Moderator.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

14a. PARKING METERS (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services:		
Patrolman	\$	3,168.96
Expenses, including the repair and maintenance of the Center Parking Lot	\$	2,515.00
Capital Outlay		
1—Royal Typewriter 14" Carriage	\$	142.38
Total—\$5,826.34		
To be taken from unexpended balances		
Parking Meters—Personal Services	\$	1,427.98
Expenses		430.02
From the Parking Meter Fund		3,968.34
	\$	5,826.34

On motion of George A. Harris, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Item 2 under Article 14 be taken from the table.

2. BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Following brief discussion, votes were taken on the two amendments pending before the meeting, and the Moderator declared both motions lost.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

2. BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Personal Services	\$	9,733.00
Expenses	\$	1,755.00
Total—\$11,488.00		

Detail

Personal Services:		
Chairman of Board	\$	800.00
Other Board Members		1,200.00
Secretary of Board		3,476.00
Other Clerks		4,153.00

Civil Service Labor Reg. Clerk	104.00
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\$	9,733.00

27. DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES (Board of Public Works)

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That the figures where they occur in Item 27, Maintenance of Highways and Bridges, \$146,200.00, be amended to read \$147,175.82; that the figures of \$10,000.00, where they refer to the Removal of Snow and Ice be amended to read \$48,428.09, of which \$10,000.00 shall be for the removal of snow and ice for the months of October, November and December, 1951, and the total figures be amended to read \$200,603.91, the total to be raised by general tax to be \$181,716.47.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

27. DIVISION OF HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES (Board of Public Works)

Maintenance of Highways and Bridges

To be expended substantially as follows:

Maintenance	\$	147,175.82
Removal of Snow and Ice	\$	48,428.09
(of which \$10,000.00 shall be for the removal of snow and ice for the months of October, November and December, 1951.)		
Maintenance of Snow Removal Equipment and Supplies	\$	5,000.00
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Total	\$	200,603.91
To be raised by general tax	\$	181,716.47

To be transferred from the available unexpended balances now in the Treasury as follows:

From the amount appropriated for the Alteration of Gray Street under Article 27, of the Annual Warrant for 1941	83.29
From the amount appropriated for the Construction of Fremont Street under Article 16, of the Annual Warrant for 1949	8,000.00

From the amount appropriated for the Construction of Ways under Article 15, of the Warrant for Special Meeting of October 17, 1949	1,500.00
From the amount appropriated for the Construction of Ways under Article 24, of the Warrant for 1946	304.15
To be taken from the Parking Meter Fund a/c removal of Snow and Ice from Parking Areas	9,000.00
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	\$ 200,603.91

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: To adjourn.

The meeting was declared adjourned by the Moderator at 11:00 P.M., Monday, April 9, 1951, until Thursday, April 12, 1951, at 8:00 P.M.

A true record,

ATTEST:

JAMES J. GOLDEN,

Town Clerk

ADJOURNED ANNUAL TOWN MEETING, APRIL 12, 1951

Pursuant to the vote of adjournment of April 9, 1951, and written notices sent by mail by the Town Clerk, the town meeting members met in the Town Hall on Thursday evening, April 12, 1951, to act upon the remaining articles set forth in the Warrant for the Annual Town Meeting.

Lists of the duly qualified town meeting members were used at the entrances of the meeting place and were in charge of Philip T. Robinson and James J. Dolan. The lists contained the names of two hundred fifty-three (253) town meeting members.

The check lists filed with the Town Clerk at the close of the meeting showed that one hundred ninety-one (191) members and seven (7) members-at-large attended the meeting.

The meeting was called to order by the Moderator, Mr. Harold E. Magnuson, at 8:08 o'clock P. M.

The meeting was opened with the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" by the assembly, accompanied by Mr. Augustus Mazzocca and Mr. Walter E. Russell of the School Department, and prayer offered by Rev. Charles F. McCarthy, Curate of St. James Church.

On motion of Selectmen Sorensen, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That if all the business of the meeting as set forth in the Warrant is not disposed of at this session, when the meeting adjourns, it adjourn to Monday evening, April 16, 1951, at 8:00 o'clock.

Article 14. (Town Outlays and Expenses.) (Resumed)

VOTED: (unanimously)

27a. HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES (Board of Public Works)

Capital Outlay

Replacement and Purchase of New Equipment.

To be expended substantially as follows:

1—2 to 4 ton Chassis and Cab w/ Load Packer Body	\$	8,200.00
2—Special Bodies for Water Trucks		2,500.00
1—½ to ¾ ton Pickup Body Truck		1,300.00
2—2 to 4 ton Chassis and Cabs w/ Contractor's Bodies .. \$5,850.00		11,700.00
1—Sedan Automobile	1,900.00	
Less allowance on 1946 Ford Sedan	600.00	1,300.00
1—Street Sweeper	\$	11,000.00

SNOW AND ICE

1—Snow Loader	9,000.00
Total Capital Outlay	\$ 45,000.00

Voted: unanimously

28. STREET LIGHTING (Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works)

Street Lighting	\$ 72,653.50
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29. TRAFFIC SIGNALS (Board of Selectmen)

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That \$325.00 be added to Item 29, Traffic Signals, under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal Services be changed to read \$7,403.20, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$11,803.20.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was unanimously

Voted:

29. TRAFFIC SIGNALS (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services	\$ 7,403.20
Expenses	\$ 3,400.00
Capital Outlay	
Kelley Criswell Line Marking Machine	\$ 1,000.00
Total—	\$11,803.20

30. PUBLIC WELFARE—AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN—OLD AGE ASSISTANCE AND DISTRICT NURSES (Board of Selectmen)

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That \$819.00 be added to Item 30, Public Welfare, Aid to Dependent Children, Old Age Assistance and District Nurses, under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal Services be changed to read \$23,598.00, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$440,408.00.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was unanimously

Voted:

30. PUBLIC WELFARE—AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN—OLD AGE ASSISTANCE
AND DISTRICT NURSES (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services	\$	23,598.00
Expenses	\$3,710.00	
Less: Estimated U. S. Federal Grant ..	1,500.00	\$ 2,210.00
Capital Outlay		
Replacing present Ediphone Equipment with new Voice Writer	\$1,500.00	
Less allowance on Present equipment ..	100.00	\$ 1,400.00
Expenses incurred outside the Commonwealth as described in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 5, Paragraph 34		\$ 200.00
District or Other Nurses		\$ 3,000.00
AID AND ASSISTANCE		
Public Welfare	\$	70,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children ..	\$	40,000.00
Old Age Assistance	\$	300,000.00
Total—		\$440,408.00

Voted:

31. VETERANS' BENEFITS (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services	\$	8,748.00
Expenses	\$	1,570.00
Aid and Assistance (Including War Allowance Veterans Benefits and Burial Aid)	\$	26,750.00
Total—		\$37,068.00
Detail—Personal Services		
Director	\$	3,555.00
Investigator		2,626.00
Sr. Clerk-Stenographer		2,067.00
Extra Clerks		500.00
	\$	8,748.00

32. SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That \$559.00 be added to Item 32, School Department, Section IV under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal Services be

changed to read \$29,484.00, and that \$728.00 be added to Section V under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal Services be changed to read \$20,369.00, and the total under Section IV be changed to read \$90,076.00, and under Section V the total be changed to read \$24,194.00, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$1,385,853.00.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was unanimously

Voted:

32. SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

I. General Control	\$ 28,741.00
II. Instructional Service	\$ 1,034,491.00
III. Operation of School Plant	\$ 171,093.00
IV. Maintenance of School Plant	\$ 90,076.00
V. Auxiliary and Other Activities	\$ 24,194.00
VI. Capital Outlay	\$ 19,298.00
VII. Special Appropriations	\$ 17,760.00
VIII. Expenses incurred outside the Commonwealth as described in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 5, Paragraph 34	\$ 200.00
Total	\$ 1,385,853.00

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT—DETAIL

I. General Control

Superintendent	\$ 7,250.00
Others	\$ 19,541.00
Total—Personal Services	\$ 26,791.00
Expenses	1,950.00
Total	\$ 28,741.00

II. Instructional Service

Personal Services	\$ 976,391.00
Expenses	3,000.00
Supplies	55,100.00
Total	\$ 1,034,491.00

III. Operation of School Plant

Personal Services	\$ 100,893.00
Custodians and Helpers	70,200.00
Materials and Expenses	
Total	\$ 171,093.00

IV. Maintenance of School Plant

Personal Services	\$	29,484.00
Repairs and Replacements		53,092.00
Expenses		7,500.00
Total	\$	90,076.00

V. Auxiliary and Other Activities

Personal Services	\$	20,369.00
Expenses		3,825.00
Total	\$	24,194.00

VI. Capital Outlay

Furnishings	\$	4,745.00
Instructional Apparatus		7,579.00
Other Equipment		1,389.00
Visual Education		2,500.00
Remodeling & General Construction		1,585.00
New School Truck		1,500.00
Total	\$	19,298.00

VII. Special Appropriations

Vocational School Tuition	\$	4,260.00
Architectural and Engineering Service		1,500.00
Cafeterias (Chap. 417, Acts 1950)		3,000.00
Athletics (Chap. 658, Acts 1950)		9,000.00
Total	\$	17,760.00

VIII. Out of State Travel	\$	200.00
Total	\$	1,385,853.00

Voted:

33. ROBBINS LIBRARY AND BRANCHES

Personal Services	\$	57,551.00
Expenses	\$	28,000.00

Capital Outlay

Microfilm Equipment and micro filming	\$	750.00
Total—\$86,301.00		

Detail—Personal Services

Librarian	\$	4,693.00
Others		44,824.00
Janitors		8,034.00
Total	\$	57,551.00

34. PUBLIC PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and is was duly seconded,

That \$468.00 be added to Item 34, Public Parks and Playgrounds, under Personal Services, and the figures for Personal Services be changed to read \$59,888.00, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$79,512.00.

On motion of Park Commissioner Edward D. Buckley, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the substitute motion of Mr. Hayes be amended as follows, so that Budget No. 34 will read:

Public Parks and Playgrounds

Personal Services	\$	59,888.00
Expenses	\$	12,817.00
Expenses incurred outside the Commonwealth as described in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 5, Paragraph 34	\$	100.00

Capital Outlay (To be expended substantially as follows)

Fencing	\$	3,315.00
Playground Equipment		1,000.00
Maintenance Equipment ..		1,000.00
General Improvements		12,000.00

Total Capital Outlay	\$	17,315.00
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Total—\$90,120.00

Detail—Personal Services

Superintendent	\$	4,693.00
Park Foreman		3,510.00
Principal Clerk-Stenographer		2,314.00
Wages—Laborers and Others		49,371.00
	\$	59,888.00

A vote was then taken on the motion of Mr. Hayes, as amended by the vote on Mr. Buckley's motion, and the Moderator declared the motion carried.

Thereupon, it was unanimously

Voted:

34. PUBLIC PARKS AND PLAYGROUNDS

Personal Services	\$	59,888.00
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Expenses	\$	12,817.00
Expenses incurred outside the Commonwealth as described in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 5, Paragraph 34	\$	100.00
Capital Outlay (To be expended substantially as follows)		
Fencing	\$	3,315.00
Playground Equipment		1,000.00
Maintenance Equipment ..		1,000.00
General Improvements		12,000.00
Total Capital Outlay	\$	17,315.00
Total—\$90,120.00		
Detail—Personal Services		
Superintendent	\$	4,693.00
Park Foreman		3,510.00
Principal Clerk-Stenographer		2,314.00
Wages—Laborers and Others		49,371.00
	\$	59,888.00

Voted:

35. WARREN A. PEIRCE PLAYGROUND

Personal Services

Locker Room Custodian	\$	300.00
Expenses	\$	1,500.00

Capital Outlay

Resurface Portion of Parking Area and roadway	\$	4,000.00
Total—\$5,800.00		

Voted:

36. PENSIONS (Board of Selectmen)

Pensions	\$	54,282.03
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Voted:

37. CONTRIBUTORY RETIREMENT SYSTEM (Retirement Board)

Pension Accumulation Fund	\$	28,319.00
Expenses	\$	500.00
Fund for Military Service Credit	\$	95.64
	\$	28,914.64

Voted:

38. MEMORIAL DAY (Board of Selectmen)

To be expended as follows:

Local Tent of the Daughters of Union Veterans and Local Camp of the Sons of Union Veterans	\$	125.00
Corp. Wm. P. Kenibbs Camp #66, United Spanish War Veterans		225.00
Arlington Post #39, The American Legion, Inc. ..		650.00
Arlington Post #1775, Veterans of Foreign Wars		550.00
Francis Gould Woman's Relief Corps #43		25.00
Arlington Chapter #49, Disabled American Veterans		75.00
Total	\$	1,650.00
Patriots' Day	\$	250.00

39. PRINTING TOWN REPORTS (Board of Selectmen)

Selectmen Sorensen moved, and it was duly seconded.

That the figures \$2,500.00 as they appear in Item 39, Printing Town Reports, be amended to read \$2,596.50.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was

Voted:

39. PRINTING TOWN REPORTS (Board of Selectmen) \$2,596.50

Voted: unanimously

40. INSURANCE (Board of Selectmen)

Including among other purposes the protection of the Town's interest in real estate held by it under purchases and takings for non-payment of taxes, as provided in General Laws, Chapter 40, Section 5, clause (38) \$ 18,149.07

To be raised by General Tax .. \$10,491.04

To be taken from the Municipal
Insurance Fund \$ 7,658.03

\$18,149.07

WORKMAN'S COMPENSATION INSURANCE FUND	\$	15,500.00
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Voted: (unanimously)

41. RESERVE FUND (Finance Committee)	\$	65,000.00
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Voted: (unanimously)

42. MAINTENANCE OF MENOTOMY HALL AND HOUSES OWNED BY THE
TOWN (Board of Selectmen)

Personal Services:

Senior Building Custodian	\$	2,990.00
Others		150.00

Total Personal Services	\$	3,140.00
Expenses	\$	5,135.00

Total—\$8,275.00

43. WATER DEPARTMENT MAINTENANCE (Board of Public Works)

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That \$1,599.85 be added to Item 43, Water Department Maintenance, under "Maintenance of Water System", and the figures for "Maintenance of Water System" be changed to read \$116,624.85, and the total for the budget be changed to read \$142,524.85.

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was unanimously

Voted:

43. WATER DEPARTMENT MAINTENANCE (Board of Public Works)

Maintenance of Water System	\$	116,624.85
Extension of Services for House Connections ...	\$	14,000.00

Capital Outlay

Meters for New Services and Replacement of Meters	\$	11,900.00
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Total—\$142,524.85

Voted: (unanimously)

44. CEMETERIES (Board of Cemetery Commissioners)

Personal Services	\$	36,710.00
Expenses	\$	4,400.00

Total—\$41,110.00

Detail—Personal Services

Clerk	\$	1,950.00
Clerk of Board		260.00
Wages		34,500.00
	\$	36,710.00

45. INTEREST

MATURING TOWN DEBT

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That the motion of the Finance Committee as printed in its Report be amended by substituting in place thereof the following motion:

Item 45. Interest	\$	23,900.00
Maturing Town Debt	\$	75,000.00
To be raised by General Tax ..	\$63,280.08	
To be taken from Bond Premiums as described in General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 20	11,719.92	
		<u>\$75,000.00</u>

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was unanimously

Voted:

45. INTEREST	\$	23,900.00
MATURING TOWN DEBT	\$	75,000.00
To be raised by General Tax	\$63,280.08	
To be taken from Bond Premiums as de- scribed in General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 20	\$11,719.92	
		<u>\$75,000.00</u>

Voted: (unanimously)

46. CIVIL DEFENSE (Board of Selectmen)		
Personal Services	\$	3,180.00
Expenses	\$	2,068.00
Total—\$5,248.00		

Detail — Personal Services:

Director	\$	1,200.00
Principal Clerk Stenographer from 4/1/51		1,480.00
Others		500.00
	\$	3,180.00

There being no further business under Article 14, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 60. (Release of Flowage Rights.) (Resumed)

On motion of Hallam T. Ring, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Article 60 be taken from the table.

Following discussion of the matter of such flowage rights and of the substitute motion made by Mr. Vahey on April 5, 1951, for the motion of the Finance Committee, J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded, that the previous motion be amended by substituting in place thereof the following motion:

'That the Board of Public Works, as it constitutes the Board of Water Commissioners of the Town of Arlington, be and hereby is authorized and empowered to release upon such terms and conditions, as said Board shall deem proper, any or all right, title and interest which the Town may have acquired in and to certain flowage rights in Great Meadows, so called, under a Deed from George Flint, et als, to the Town of Arlington, dated January 4, 1888, recorded in Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Book 1836, Page 468.'

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion was unanimously carried. The question then came on the motion of Mr. Vahey as amended and the Moderator declared the motion carried.

Thereupon, it was

VOTED: That the Board of Public Works, as it constitutes the Board of Water Commissioners of the Town of Arlington, be and hereby is authorized and empowered to release upon such terms and conditions, as said Board shall deem proper, any or all right, title and interest which the Town may have acquired in and to certain flowage rights in Great Meadows, so called, under a Deed from George Flint, et als, to the Town of Arlington, dated January 4, 1888, recorded in Middlesex South District Registry of Deeds, Book 1836, Page 468.

There being no further business under Article 60, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 45. (Junior High School Center.)

On motion of George A. Harris, duly seconded, it was .

VOTED: That the vote on the motion of the Finance Committee under Article 45 be reconsidered.

George A. Harris moved, and it was duly seconded,

That the motion of the Finance Committee be amended by striking out the words and figures "One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars" and by substituting therefor the words and figures "Six Hundred (\$600.00) Dollars".

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend was unanimously carried.

Thereupon, it was unanimously

VOTED: That the Moderator be and hereby is instructed to appoint a committee of five (5) registered voters of the Town, including one member of the School Committee, for the purpose of considering, investigating and studying the use of the building at the corner of Academy Street and Maple Street; said committee to report at the next Special Town Meeting, if any, but not later than the Annual Town Meeting of 1952; and that the sum of Six Hundred (\$600.00) Dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the use of said committee, said sum to be raised by General Tax.

There being no further business under Article 45, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

At this point, a recess was taken from 9:40 P.M. to 9:45 P.M.

Article 61. (Town Manager Form of Government.)

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Article 61 be laid on the table.

This vote was taken by count, 108 voting in the affirmative and 35 in the negative.

Article 62. (Headquarters for Lt. Stanley G. Benner Detachment, Marine Corps League of Arlington.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: That in accordance with Chapter 40, Section 9, under the General Laws of Massachusetts, as amended by Chapter 409 of the Acts of 1946, the sum of six hundred (600) dollars be and hereby is appropriated for the purpose of providing headquarters for the "Lt. Stanley G. Benner Detachment, Marine Corps League of Arlington"; and that said sum be raised by general tax and expended under the direction of the Board of Selectmen.

There being no further business under Article 62, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 63. (Appropriation of Available Funds.)

On motion duly made and seconded, it was unanimously

VOTED: To take the sum of One Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$150,000.00) voted for the appropriations heretofore made under the Warrant for this meeting, and not to be borrowed or to be taken from available funds or from balances of special appropriations made in other years, from any available funds in the Treasury and to authorize the Assessors to use free cash in the Treasury in any available funds to that amount in the determination of the 1951 tax rate.

There being no further business under Article 63, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 61. (Town Manager Form of Government.) (Resumed)

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Article 61 be taken from the table.

J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee moved, and it was duly seconded,

That the motion of the Finance Committee under Article 61 be amended by adding the words, with the exception that the proposed Town Manager Act set forth in the Warrant be and hereby is amended by inserting in line one of Section 25 between the word "manager" and the word "shall" the words "subject to the approval of the Board of Selectmen", so that the first sentence of Section 25 shall read:

"The town manager, subject to the approval of the Board of Selectmen, shall appoint a suitably qualified person to the office of tree warden".

Following extended discussion a vote was taken, and the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Percival E. Richardson moved, and it was duly seconded,

That the motion of the Finance Committee be amended by adding the words, and with the further exception that Section 11 of said proposed Town Manager Act set forth in the Warrant be and hereby is amended by inserting in line six thereof after the words "town manager", at the end of the first sentence, the words "and shall be a citizen of the United States of America", and by striking out the word "may" as it appears in the thirteenth line after the words "sureties as" and by substituting therefor the word "shall", so that said Section 11 will read:

"The selectmen elected as provided herein shall appoint, as soon as practicable, for a term of three years, a town manager who shall be a professionally qualified person especially fitted by education, training and experience to perform the duties of the office and shall have at least three years experience as a city or town manager, and shall be a citizen of the United States of America. The town manager shall be appointed without regard to his political beliefs. He shall be a resident of the town during his term of office. He may be appointed for successive terms of office. Before entering upon the duties of his office, the town manager shall be sworn to the faithful and impartial performance thereof by the chairman of the selectmen, or by the town clerk, or by a justice of the peace. He shall execute a bond in favor of the town for the faithful performance of his duties in such sum and with such surety or sureties as shall be fixed or approved by the selectmen".

On being put to a vote, the Moderator declared the motion to amend carried.

Thereupon, it was

VOTED: That the committee appointed by the Moderator in pursuance of the vote of Town passed October 4, 1950, under Article 2 be and hereby is authorized and empowered to do all acts and deeds necessary to place before the Legislature the act establishing a town manager form of government for the Town of Arlington, substantially as set forth in the Warrant, with the exception that the proposed Town Manager Act set forth in the Warrant be and hereby is amended by inserting in line one of Section 25 between the word "manager" and the word "shall" the words "subject to the approval of the Board of Selectmen", so that the first sentence of Section 25 shall read:

"The town manager, subject to the approval of the Board of Selectmen, shall appoint a suitably qualified person to the office of tree warden", and with the further exception that Section 11 of said proposed Town Manager Act set forth in the Warrant be and hereby is amended by inserting in line six thereof after the words "town manager", at the end of the first sentence, the words "and shall be a citizen of the United States of America", and by striking out the word "may" as it appears in the thirteenth line after the words "sureties as" and by substituting therefor the word "shall", so that said Section 11 will read:

"The selectmen elected as provided herein shall appoint, as soon as practicable, for a term of three years, a town manager who shall be

a professionally qualified person especially fitted by education, training and experience to perform the duties of the office and shall have at least three years experience as a city or town manager, and shall be a citizen of the United States of America. The town manager shall be appointed without regard to his political beliefs. He shall be a resident of the town during his term of office. He may be appointed for successive terms of office. Before entering upon the duties of his office, the town manager shall be sworn to the faithful and impartial performance thereof by the chairman of the selectmen, or by the town clerk, or by a justice of the peace. He shall execute a bond in favor of the town for the faithful performance of his duties in such sum and with such surety or sureties as shall be fixed or approved by the selectmen".

James W. Donahue served notice on the meeting of his intention to move for reconsideration.

There being no further business under Article 61, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

Article 3. (Reports of Committees.) (Resumed)

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That Article 3 be taken from the table.

John H. Allison presented the final report of the Junior High School West Building Committee, and on motion duly made and seconded, it was

VOTED: That the report be received and the committee be dismissed.

On motion of Joseph J. Bevins, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: That the Hardy School Building Committee be dismissed.

There being no further business under Article 3, the Moderator declared it disposed of.

On motion of J. Howard Hayes of the Finance Committee, duly seconded, it was

VOTED: To adjourn.

The meeting was declared adjourned by the Moderator at 12:15 A.M., Friday, April 13, 1951.

A true record, ATTEST:

JAMES J. GOLDEN
Town Clerk

Report of the Town Clerk's Department

To the Citizens of Arlington:

The following annual report of the Town Clerk for the year ending December 31, 1951, is herewith submitted, in accordance with the Town's By-Laws.

The total of fees collected by the department during the year was \$12,189.80, which was \$350.49 in excess of the revenue collected in the preceding year. Of this amount, \$2,827.75 was for conservation licenses and \$4,409.80 was for dog licenses.

The report of fees collected is as follows:

Marriage Intentions	\$1,037.33
Mortgages	2,796.49
Miscellaneous Certificates	685.18
Pole Locations	109.00
Miscellaneous Licenses	304.75
Renewals of Gasoline Permits	19.50
Conservation Licenses	2,827.75
Dog Licenses	4,409.80
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	\$12,189.80

Dog Licenses

26 Military	Free
1130 Male @ \$2.00	\$2,260.00
106 Female @ \$5.00	530.00
802 Spayed @ \$2.00	1,604.00
1 Kennel @ \$10.00	10.00
6 Transfers of Licenses @ 25¢	1.50
43 Duplicate Tags @ 10¢	4.30
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	\$4,409.80

Paid to County Treasurer, Licenses	\$3,996.20
Paid to Town Treasurer, Fees	413.60
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	\$4,409.80

Conservation Licenses

60 Resident Citizens' Sporting and Trapping	Free
40 Resident Military or Naval Sporting	Free
686 Resident Citizens' Fishing @ \$2.00	\$1,372.00
266 Resident Citizens' Hunting @ \$2.00	532.00
177 Resident Citizens' Sporting @ \$3.25	575.25
179 Resident Citizen Womens' and Minors' Fishing @ \$1.25	223.75
4 Resident Minors' Trapping @ 2.25	9.00
2 Resident Citizens' Trapping @ 5.25	10.50
4 Special Non-Resident Fishing @ 1.50	6.00

2 Non-Resident Citizens'			
Fishing	@ \$5.25	10.50	
9 Duplicate Licenses	@ 50¢	4.50	
* 2 Resident Citizens' Sporting and			
Trapping		Free	
* 1 Resident Military or Naval Sporting		Free	
* 3 Resident Citizens' Fishing	@ \$3.25	\$ 9.75	
* 8 Resident Citizens' Hunting	@ \$3.25	26.00	
* 9 Resident Citizens' Sporting	@ \$5.25	\$ 47.25	
* 1 Resident Citizen Minors'			
Fishing	@ \$1.25	1.25	
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		\$2,827.75	
Paid to the Division of Fisheries and Game			\$2,492.50
Paid to the Town Treasurer, Fees			335.25
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			\$2,827.75
* 1952 Licenses issued during December, 1951.			

For particulars with respect to births, deaths and marriages recorded with our office at this writing, your attention is directed to the reports that follow.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES J. GOLDEN, *Town Clerk*

1951

BIRTHS BY MONTHS

Months	Total	In Arlington		Out of Arlington		Totals	
		Males	Females	Males	Females	Males	Females
January	86	25	18	27	16	52	34
February	91	22	19	31	19	53	38
March	88	23	22	22	21	45	43
April	89	21	25	27	16	48	41
May	104	20	31	31	22	51	53
June	107	22	24	30	31	52	55
July	77	19	18	18	22	37	40
August	115	33	28	29	25	62	53
September	90	9	26	31	24	40	50
October	78	25	22	16	15	41	37
November	54	23	15	7	9	30	24
December	50	30	16	2	2	32	18
	*1029	272	264	271	222	543	486

*Of the 1029 births recorded, there were 265 which occurred in Arlington, but were children born of parents who resided out of Town.

The parentage of children born was as follows:

Both parents born in the United States	709
Both parents born in Foreign Countries	18
Both parents born in Arlington	15
One parent born in the United States	282
One parent born in Foreign Country	103
One parent born in Arlington	189

1951

MARRIAGES BY MONTHS

Months	Total	Groom's First	Bride's First	Groom's Second	Bride's Second	Groom's Third	Bride's Third
January	42	40	39	2	3	0	0
February	33	28	29	5	4	0	0
March	25	23	21	2	3	0	1
April	56	49	51	7	3	0	2
May	39	35	35	4	4	0	0
June	94	81	86	11	7	2	1
July	29	26	24	4	4	0	0
August	28	25	25	3	3	0	0
September	67	64	63	3	4	0	0
October	49	41	44	6	5	2	0
November	40	36	37	4	3	0	0
December	21	15	15	7	5	0	0
	523	463	469	58	48	4	4

Number of Marriages Recorded	523
Residents	599
Non-residents	447
Solemnized out of Arlington	288
Age of oldest groom	75
Age of oldest bride	59
Age of youngest groom	17
Age of youngest bride	15

1951
DEATH BY MONTHS
(Stillbirths excluded)

	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total
Total:													
Male	25	25	26	21	27	33	18	24	21	16	19	25	280
Female	25	31	33	24	23	21	8	22	19	25	22	29	282
Residents died in Arlington:													
Male	11	13	11	13	14	19	8	10	9	7	7	15	137
Female	15	20	21	17	15	13	5	9	11	13	13	17	169
Non-residents died in Arlington:													
Male	6	3	2	0	4	4	1	5	2	4	3	2	39
Female	5	5	2	3	3	6	1	3	2	2	3	1	36
Residents of Arlington died out of Arlington:													
Male	8	9	13	8	9	10	9	9	7	5	9	8	104
Female	5	6	10	4	5	2	2	10	6	10	6	11	77
Children under one year:													
Male	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	3	2	0	2	0	12
Female	1	1	0	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	0	0	11
Between one and ten years:													
Male	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2
Female	0	1	0	1	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	5
Between ten and thirty years:													
Male	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3
Female	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	5
Between thirty and sixty years:													
Male	6	7	4	8	7	11	5	6	5	4	8	5	76
Female	5	3	5	4	3	6	3	1	4	4	1	5	44
Between sixty and ninety years:													
Male	16	18	20	12	18	19	12	15	13	11	9	20	183
Female	16	21	24	17	17	12	4	16	13	19	20	23	202
Over ninety years:													
Male	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4
Female	3	3	3	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	15

Report of the Registrars of Voters

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Arlington, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The Registrars of Voters herewith submit the following report for the year 1951:

Assistant Registrars were again appointed by our Board to assist in the annual listing, as required by law, of all persons who were twenty years of age or over and whose place of legal residence on January first was in the Town of Arlington.

During the year, the Board held ten evening sessions in public buildings situated throughout the Town for the registration of voters, at which 95 persons were qualified to vote in elections. An additional 441 persons were so qualified during the regular business hours at the Office of the Town Clerk. A total of 536 names were, therefore, added to the voting list.

The total number of registered voters upon completion of the revision of the voting list on July 1, 1951, was 22,974, divided into voting precincts, as follows:

Precinct 1	1436	Precinct 8	1669
2	1906	9	1459
3	1180	10	1706
4	1656	11	1744
5	1609	12	1944
6	1438	13	1627
7	1548	14	2052

A Petition was filed by John H. O'Brien and William J. O'Brien, Jr. in Middlesex Superior Court for a Writ of Mandamus to order the words "LOWER TAXES", as contained in their nomination papers for election as Assessor and Commissioner of the Sinking Fund, respectively, be printed on the official ballot for the Town Election. The Board was represented at the hearing by Town Counsel, Rusesell T. Hamlet, following which the decision of the Court filed by Justice Good on February 16, 1951, denied the Petition.

Mr. Carl Lindberg, 39 Jason Street, by appointment of your Board, served as a Registrar of Voters at the Town Election in the absence of Mr. Ernest Hesseltine.

A recount of the ballots cast for the Board of Public Works in each precinct at the Town Election was made on Saturday, March 17, beginning at 9:30 A.M., and was completed at 12:15 P.M. The details of the recount are included in the Record of Elections and Town Meetings, which appears elsewhere in the printed Town Report.

Respectfully submitted,

TIMOTHY J. BUCKLEY, Chairman

ARTHUR P. WYMAN

ERNEST HESSELTINE

JAMES J. GOLDEN, Clerk

Registrars of Voters

Workmen's Compensation Fund

1951

Balance, December 31, 1950	\$ 364.57
Appropriation at Annual Town Meeting, 1951	15,500.00
	<u>15,864.57</u>
Interest, Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	81.73
	<u>\$15,946.30</u>
Paid Town for disbursement	15,864.57
	<u>81.73</u>
Balance, December 31, 1951	81.73
In Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank, Book 65361	81.73

EDWARD P. CLARK
HAROLD A. YEAMES
WILLIAM J. O'BRIEN, JR.
Commissioners

J. WILBERT ANDERSON, *Treasurer*
CLARENCE NEEDHAM, *Accountant*

Municipal Buildings Insurance Fund

1951

Fund and Accumulated Income, December 31, 1950 \$105,316.41

Receipts

Interest on:

U.S. Treasury 2% Bonds, 52/54	500.00
U.S. Treasury 2¼% Bonds, 59/62	562.50
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	232.36

1,294.86

Savings Bonds increased 709.00

2,003.86

\$ 107,320.27

Payments

Box rent 7.50

To Town under Art. 14 of 1951 Town Meeting 7,658.03

7,665.53

\$ 99,654.74

Investments

25M U.S. Treasury 2% Bonds, 52/54	25,000.00
25M U.S. Treasury 2¼% Bonds, 59/62	25,000.00
10M U.S. Treasury Series F Bonds, 1956	8,610.00
14M U.S. Treasury Series F Bonds, 1959	10,864.0
15M U.S. Treasury Series F oBnds, 1961	11,310.00
18M U.S. Treasury Series F Bonds, 1962	13,410.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank, Book 40412	5,460.74

\$99,654.74

EDWARD P. CLARK
HAROLD A. YEAMES
WILLIAM J. O'BRIEN, JR.
Sinking Fund Commissioners

J. WILBERT ANDERSON, *Treasurer*
CLARENCE NEEDHAM, *Accountant*

Cemetery Funds

1951

PERPETUAL CARE FUND

Fund, January 1, 1951	\$ 267,143.50
Received from Perpetual Care of Lots	16,720.00
	<u>\$ 283,863.50</u>

Income Accounts

Balance of Income, January 1, 1951	14,835.03
Interest on:	

First National Bank stock	225.00
National Shawmut Bank stock	240.00
Series G Bonds 2½%	1,900.00
U.S. Treasury 2⅞% Bonds 55/60	143.75
U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds 52/54	125.00
U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds 56/58	60.00
U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds 63/68	750.00
U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds 64/69	125.00
U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds 65/70	1,875.00
U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds 66/71	625.00
U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds 67/72	157.50
Pacific Gas & Electric Bonds 3%	150.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	396.76
Boston 5¢ Savings Bank	134.00
Charlestown 5¢ Savings Bank	184.37
Provident Institution for Savings	74.86
Cambridge Savings Bank	104.17

\$7,270.41

Proceeds from sale of rights on

First National Bank stock	33.90
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7,304.31

\$306,002.84

Payments

Paid Town for Disbursement	7,304.31
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Fund and Accumulated Income, December 31, 1951	\$ 298,698.53
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Investments

U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds, 64/69	\$ 5,000.00
U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds, 56/58	2,400.00
U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds, 67/72	6,300.00
U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds, 63/68	30,000.00
U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds, 65/70	75,000.00

U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds, 52/54	5,000.00
U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds, 66/71	25,000.00
U.S. Treasury 2½% Bonds, 55/60	5,000.00
Pacific Gas & Electric Bonds 3%	5,000.00
U.S. Treasury Series G Bonds 2½%	76,000.00
First National Bank stock	4,175.00
National Shawmut Bank stock	5,000.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank Book 72902	28,022.27
Boston 5¢ Savings Bank Book 1039471	5,743.68
Charlestown 5¢ Savings Bank Book 253796	7,902.19
Provident Inst. for Savings Book 603700	3,051.22
Cambridge Savings Bank, Book 159502	10,104.17

\$298,698.53

RALPH S. STEVENS
 WATHEN B. HENDERSON
 ARTHUR F. KIMBALL

Commissioners

J. WILBERT ANDERSON, *Treasurer*
 CLARENCE NEEDHAM, *Accountant*

ROBBINS CEMETERY FUND

Principal of Fund, \$ 5,000.00

Income Account

Balance Income, January 1, 1951 835.14

Interest on:

Series G Bonds	125.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	17.20

142.20

\$ 5,977.34

Invested as follows:

U.S. Treasury Series G Bonds 2½%	5,000.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank, Book 6758	977.34

\$ 5,977.34

S. C. BUCKNAM CEMETERY FUND

Principal of Fund \$ 2,000.00

Income Account

Balance of Income, January 1, 1951 183.65

Interest on:

U.S. Treasury Series G Bonds	50.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	3.85

53.85

\$ 2,237.50

Invested as follows:

U.S. Treasury Series G Bonds 2½%	2,000.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank, Book 12248	237.50

\$ 2,237.50

SOLDIERS MONUMENT FUND

Principal of Fund	\$ 2,000.00
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Income Account

Balance of Income, January 1, 1951	574.80
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Interest on:

U.S. Treasury Series G Bonds	50.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	11.71

61.71

\$ 2,636.51

Invested as follows:

U.S. Treasury Series G Bonds 2½%	2,000.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank, Book 6977	636.51

\$ 2,636.51

RALPH S. STEVENS
WATHEN B. HENDERSON
ARTHUR F. KIMBALL

Commissioners

J WILBERT ANDERSON, *Treasurer*

CLARENCE NEEDHAM, *Accountant*

Pratt and Farmer Funds

NATHAN PRATT HIGH SCHOOL FUND

1951

Principal of Fund \$ 25,000.00

Receipts

Interest on

Series G. Bonds 575.00

Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank 14.90

589.90

Savings Bonds, Series F, increased 51.00

640.90

\$ 25,640.90

Payments

Paid Town for disbursements 640.90

\$ 25,000.00

Investments

10M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½%
maturing 1/1/55 10,000.00

2M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½%
maturing 7/1/56 2,000.00

8M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½%
maturing 5/1/57 8,000.00

3M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½%
maturing 7/1/57 3,000.00

1M U.S. Treas. Series F Bond
maturing December 1957 822.00

1M U.S. Treas. Series F Bond
maturing May 1957 835.00

Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank
Book 40413 343.00

\$ 25,000.00

NATHAN PRATT LIBRARY FUND

Principal of Fund \$ 10,000.00

Receipts

Interest on:

Series G Bonds 250.00

Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank 3.10

253.10\$ 10,253.10

Payments

* Box rent 10.00

Paid Town for Disbursement 243.10

253.10\$ 10,000.00

Investments

U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %
maturing 8/1/55 5,000.00U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %
maturing 7/1/56 2,000.00U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %
maturing 7/1/57 3,000.00\$10,000.00

NATHAN PRATT POOR WIDOWS' FUND

Principal of Fund \$ 5,000.00

Receipts

Interest on

Series G Bonds 125.00

Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank 1.65

126.65\$ 5,126.65

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement 126.65

\$ 5,000.00

Investments

2M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %	
maturing 8/1/55	\$ 2,000.00
2M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %	
maturing 7/1/56	2,000.00
1M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %	
maturing 7/1/57	1,000.00
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	\$ 5,000.00

EDWIN S. FARMER POOR WIDOWS' FUND

Principal of Fund	\$ 5,000.00
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Receipts

Interest on	
Series G Bonds	125.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	1.65
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	126.65
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	\$ 5,126.65

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement	126.65
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	\$ 5,000.00

Investments

2M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %	
maturing 8/1/55	\$ 2,000.00
2M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %	
maturing 7/1/56	2,000.00
1M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %	
maturing 7/1/57	1,000.00
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	\$ 5,000.00

E. S. FARMER RELIEF FUND

Principal of Fund	\$ 5,000.00
Gain of Capial Assets	145.00
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	\$ 5,145.00

Receipts

Interest on	
Series G Bonds	125.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	4.64
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	129.64
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	\$ 5,274.64

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement	129.64
	<u>\$ 5,145.00</u>

Investments

1M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ % maturing 7/1/55	1,000.00	
2M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ % maturing 1/1/56	2,000.00	
2M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ % maturing 7/1/56	2,000.00	
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank Book 20873	145.00	
	<u></u>	\$ 5,145.00

E. NELSON BLAKE JR. MEMORIAL FUND

Principal of Fund	\$ 3,000.00
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Receipts

Interest on:		
Series G Bonds	75.00	
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	1.00	
	<u></u>	76.00
		<u>3,076.00</u>

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement	76.00
	<u>\$ 3,000.00</u>

Investments

1M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ % maturing 8/1/55	1,000.00	
1M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ % maturing 7/1/56	1,000.00	
1M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ % maturing 7/1/57	1,000.00	
	<u></u>	\$ 3,000.00

EDWARD P. CLARK
HAROLD A. YEAMES
WALTER T. CHAMBERLAIN
ROBERT L. MOORE

Trustees

J. WILBERT ANDERSON, *Treasurer*
CLARENCE NEEDHAM, *Accountant*

Selectmen's Funds

1951

MARY CUTTER POOR WIDOWS' FUND

Principal of Fund \$ 613.11

Receipts

Interest on:

Series G Bonds	15.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank .....	.46

15.46

\$ 628.57

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement 15.46

\$ 613.11

Investments

U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %	
maturing 7/1/56	600.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank,	
Book 15105	13.11

\$ 613.11

M.M.W. RUSSELL POOR WIDOWS' FUND

Principal of Fund \$ 1,704.23

Receipts

Interest on:

Series G Bonds	42.50
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank .....	.66

43.16

1,747.39

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement 43.16

\$ 1,704.23

Investments

U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %	
maturing 7/1/56	1,700.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	
Book 439	4.23
	<u> </u>
	\$ 1,704.23

ANNIE L. HILL POOR WIDOWS' FUND

Principal of Fund	\$ 2,000.00
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Receipts

Interest on:	
Series G Bonds	50.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank67
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	50.67
	<u> </u>
	\$ 2,050.67

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement	50.67
	<u> </u>
	\$ 2,000.00

Investments

2M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %	
maturing 7/1/56	2,000.00

MARIA L. HILL POOR WIDOWS' FUND

Principal of Fund	\$ 2,000.00
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Receipts

Interest on:	
Series G Bonds	50.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank63
	<u> </u>
	50.63
	<u> </u>
	\$ 2,050.63

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement	50.63
	<u> </u>
	\$ 2,000.00

Investments

2M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %	
maturing 2/1/59	\$ 2,000.00

EMMA L. SPRAGUE POOR WIDOWS' FUND

Principal of Fund \$ 17,938.47

Receipts

Interest on Charlestown 5¢ Savings Bank 428.55
\$ 18,367.02

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement 428.55
In Charlestown 5¢ Savings Bank Book 253396 \$17,938.47

WILLIAM CUTTER SCHOOL FUND

Principal of Fund \$ 5,354.00

Receipts

Interest on:
 Series G Bonds 132.50
 Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank 2.89
135.39
\$ 5,489.39

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement 135.39
\$ 5,354.00

Investments

U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds $2\frac{1}{2}\%$
 maturing 7/1/56 5,300.00
 Arlington 5¢ Savings Banks,
 Book 15102 54.00
\$ 5,354.00

M.M.W. RUSSELL SCHOOL FUND

Principal of Fund \$ 5,327.86

Receipts

Interest on:
 Series G Bonds 132.50
 Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank 2.35
134.85
\$ 5,462.71

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement	134.85
	<u>\$ 5,327.86</u>

Investments

U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %	
maturing 7/1/56	5,300.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Banks,	
Book 9373	27.86
	<u>\$ 5,327.86</u>

JULIA FILLEBROWN FUND

Principal of Fund	\$100.00
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Receipts

Interest on Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	2.03
	<u>\$ 102.03</u>

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement	2.03
	<u>\$ 100.00</u>

Investments

Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank, Book 15841	\$ 100.00
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MARCUS L. SORENSEN

EDMUND L. FROST

WALTER T. KENNEY

*Selectmen*J. WILBERT ANDERSON, *Treasurer*CLARENCE NEEDHAM, *Accountant*

Library Funds

1951

E. NELSON BLAKE LIBRARY FUND

Principal of Fund	\$ 4,000.00
Gain of Capital Assets	696.57
	<u>\$ 4,696.57</u>
Balance of Income, December 31, 1950	115.50

Receipts

Interest on:		
Series G Bonds	100.00	
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	16.66	
		<u>116.66</u>
Fund and Accumulated Income December 31, 1951		\$ 4,928.73

Investments

U.S. Treasury Series G Bonds, 2½%		
maturing 7/1/56	4,000.00	
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank,		
Book 52201	928.73	
		<u>4,928.73</u>

ELLEN W. HODGDON LIBRARY FUND

Principal of Fund	\$ 1,000.00
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Receipts

Interest on:		
Series G Bonds	25.00	
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank33	
		<u>25.33</u>
		<u>\$ 1,025.33</u>

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement	25.33
	<u>\$ 1,000.00</u>

Investments

U.S. Treasury Series G Bonds, 2½%		
maturing 7/1/56	\$ 1,000.00	

CHILDRENS' BOOK FUND

Principal of Fund	\$ 5,000.00
Gain of Capital Assets	400.00
	<u>\$ 5,400.00</u>

Receipts

Interest on:		
First National Bank stock	281.25	
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	13.10	
	<u>294.35</u>	
Proceeds from sale of First National		
Bank stock rights	49.85	
	<u>344.20</u>	
		<u>\$ 5,744.20</u>

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement	344.20
	<u>\$ 5,400.00</u>

Investments

125 shares First National Bank stock	4,950.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank,	
Book 57012	450.00
	<u>\$ 5,400.00</u>

EMMA L. SPRAGUE LIBRARY FUND

Principal of Fund	\$ 17,938.48
Balance of Income, December 31, 1950	443.59

Receipts

Interest on:		
Series G Bonds	375.00	
Charlestown 5¢ Savings Bank	83.14	
	<u>458.14</u>	
Fund and Accumulated Income December 31, 1951		<u>\$ 18,840.21</u>

Investments

U.S. Treasury Series G Bonds 2½% maturing 4/1/61	15,000.00
Charlestown 5¢ Savings Bank book 253395	3,840.21
	<u>\$ 18,840.21</u>

SARAH ROSS VAUGHN LIBRARY FUND

Principal of Fund	\$ 1,000.00
Balance of Income, December 31, 1950	20.16

Receipts

Interest on Arlington Co-operative Bank	20.56
Fund and Accumulated Income, December 31, 1951	\$ 1,040.72

Investments

Arlington Co-operative Bank, Savings Share Account, Book 417	\$ 1,040.72
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TIMOTHY WELLINGTON LIBRARY FUND

Principal of Fund	\$ 100.00
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Receipts

Interest on Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	2.03
	\$ 102.03

Payments

Paid Town for disbursement	2.03
	\$ 100.00

Investments

Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank, Book 15103	\$ 100.00
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HENRY MOTT LIBRARY FUND

Principal of Fund	\$ 5,200.00
Gain of Capital Assets	225.00

Balance of Income, December 31, 1950	\$ 5,425.00
	134.57

Receipts

Interest on:	
Series G Bonds	125.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	10.82
	135.82

Fund and Accumulated Income, December 31, 1951	\$ 5,695.39
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Investments

U.S. Treasury Series G Bonds 2½% maturing 11/1/58	5,000.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank, Book 15101	695.39
	\$ 5,695.39

DEXTER RAWSON FAY LIBRARY FUND

Principal of Fund \$ 1,741.60

Receipts

Interest on:

Arlington Co-operative Bank 40.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank 3.23

43.23

\$ 1,784.83

Paid Town for disbursement 43.23

\$ 1,741.60

Investments

Eight Matured shares Arlington Cooperative
Bank 2½% 1,600.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank, Book 51672 141.60

1,741.60
\$ 1,741.60

FRANCIS E. THOMPSON LIBRARY FUND

Principal of Fund \$ 8,181.54

Balance of Income, December 31, 1950 201.33

Receipts

Interest on:

Series G Bonds 200.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank 8.34

208.34

Total Fund and Accumulated Income \$ 8,591.21

Investments

U.S. Treasury Series G Bonds 2½%
maturing 7/1/56 \$ 6,000.00
U.S. Treasury Series G Bonds 2½%
maturing 1/1/62 2,000.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank, Book 64753 591.21

8,591.21
\$ 8,591.21

ROBBINS LIBRARY ART FUND

Principal of Fund \$ 25,000.00

Accumulated Income 18,530.68

\$ 43,530.68

Gain of Capital Assets 1,000.00

\$ 44,530.68

Receipts

Interest on:

Series G Bonds	375.00
First National Bank Stock	450.00
U.S. Treas. 2¾ % Bonds 56/59	229.79
U.S. Treas. 2¾ % Bonds 75/80	337.58
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	80.52

1,472.89

Profit on exchange of Bonds	79.75
Sale of Rights, First National Bank stock	49.27

1,601.91

\$ 46,132.59

Payments

As per vouchers on file	551.60
	<u>\$45,580.99</u>

Investment Transactions in 1951

Sold 15M U.S. Treas. 2¾ % Bonds, 59/56	
Purchased 16M U.S. Treas. 2½ % Bonds 72/67	
Exchanged above 16M Bonds for 16M U.S. Treas.	
2¾ % Bonds 80/75 — Gain of Capital Assets	\$ 1,000.00

Investments

16M U.S. Treasury 2¾ % Bonds, 75/80	16,000.00
10M U.S. Treasury Series G Bonds 2½ %	10,000.00
5M U.S. Treasury Series G Bonds 2½ %	5,000.00
200 shares First National Bank stock	9,560.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank, Book 20095	4,970.68
Harvard Trust Company, Checking Acct.	50.31

Total Fund and Accumulated Income, December 31, 1951 .. \$ 45,580.99

M. HELEN TEELE LIBRARY FUND

Principal of Fund \$ 1,000.00

Receipts

Interest on:

Series G Bonds	25.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank .....	.02

25.02

Fund and Accumulated Income, December 31, 1951 \$ 1,025.02

Investments

U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %	
maturing 11/1/62	1,000.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank, Book 201472	25.02
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	\$ 1,025.02

ROBBINS LIBRARY PRINT FUND

Principal of Fund	\$ 27,119.88
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Receipts

Interest on:	
Series G Bonds	650.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	23.58
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	673.58
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Fund and Accumulated Income, December 31, 1951	\$ 27,793.46

Investments

26M U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½ %	
maturing 10/1/62	26,000.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank, Book 200162	1,793.46
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	\$27,793.46

ROSCOE O. ELLIOTT
 LLEWELLEN B. PARSONS
 MARK W. BRADFORD
 FRANCIS KEEFE
 JOHN B. FOX
 MARGARET E. HEAPS

Trustees

J. WILBERT ANDERSON, *Treasurer*
 CLARENCE NEEDHAM, *Accountant*

Francis E. Thompson Scholarship Fund

1951

Principal of Fund	\$ 436,132.11
Gain of Capital Assets	3,772.50
	\$439,904.61

Receipts

Balance of Income, December 31, 1950	\$ 7,488.78
Interest on:	
U.S. Treas. Series G Bonds 2½%	5,625.00
U.S. Treas. 2¼% Bonds, 59/62	1,440.00
U.S. Treas. 2½% Bonds, 65/70	1,250.00
U.S. Treas. 2½% Bonds 67/72	734.89
U.S. Treas. 2¾% Bonds, 75/80	1,375.00
Arlington 5 ¢ Savings Bank	141.67
	18,055.34
	457,959.95

Payments

Paid for tuitions, May 1, 1951	11,675.00
Box rent	10.00
	11,685.00
	\$ 446,274.95

Investment Transactions

Exchanged 100M U.S. Treas. 2½% 67/72 for
100M U.S. Treas. 2¾% 1975-80

Investments

U.S. Treas. 2¼% Bonds, 59/62	64,000.00
U.S. Treas. 2½% Bonds 65/70	50,000.00
U.S. Treas. 2¾% Bonds 75/80	100,000.00
U.S. Treas Series G Bonds 2½% maturing 1957-59	225,000.00
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank, Book 66122	7,224.95
Arlington National Bank, Ck Acct.	50.00
	\$ 446,274.95

EDWARD A. BAILEY
ARTHUR O. YEAMES
HAROLD A. CAHALIN

Trustees

J. WILBERT ANDERSON, *Treasurer*
CLARENCE NEEDHAM, *Accountant*

Report of the Trustees of the Elbridge Farmer Fund

1951

Receipts

Undistributed Income Balance 12/31/51	\$ 47.84
Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank	100.00
Boston Five Cents Savings	71.25
Cambridge Savings Bank	136.70
Franklin Savings Bank	66.08
Harvard Trust Co. — Savings Department #A2539	24.38
Provident Institution for Savings - Boston	75.00
Suffolk Savings Bank	75.00
3M Illinois Central R.R. Co. 4¾% 1966	142.50
10M U.S. Treasury 3% 1951-55 (Called 9/15/51)	300.00
12M U.S. Savings Bonds — Series G 2½% 1956	300.00
Harvard Trust Co. — Savings Department #A2992	6.28
	\$ 1345.03

Disbursements

Harvard Trust Co. — Safe Deposit Rent	\$ 6.00
Town of Arlington, Elbridge Farmer Fund for benefit of Robbins Library	1300.00
	\$1306.00
Balance — Undistributed Income 12/31/51	39.03
	\$1345.03

Investments

Arlington Five Cents Savings Bank	\$ 10,000.00
Boston Five Cents Savings Bank	3,000.00
Cambridge Savings Bank	5,468.75
Franklin Savings Bank — Boston	2,782.77
Harvard Trust Co. — Savings Dept. #A2539	10,771.00
Provident Institution for Savings — Boston	3,000.00
Suffolk Savings Bank	3,000.00
3,000 Illinois Central R.R. Co. 4¾% 1966	3,000.00
12,000 U.S. Savings Bonds — Series G 2½% 1956	12,000.00
	\$53,022.52

Note: 10M U.S. Treasury 3% 1951-55 called 9/15/51, and proceeds (\$10,000.00) deposited in Harvard Trust Co. — Savings Dept. #A2539.

JAMES A. BAILEY
JOHN G. BRACKETT
GARDNER C. PORTER
EDWARD P. CLARK
ARTHUR O. YEAMES
FREDERICK W. HILL

Trustees

Robbins Scholarship Fund

1951

Principal of Fund	\$ 9,039.96
Balance Income, December 31, 1950	15.07

Receipts

Interest on:	
Arlington 5¢ Savings Bank	182.00
Arlington Co-operative Bank ..	113.98
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	295.98
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	\$ 9,351.01

Payments

Interest paid at purchase of Arlington	
Co-operative Bank shares	47.19
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	\$ 9,303.82

Investments

46 shares Arlington Co-operative Bank	
Arlington Co-operative Bank, Savings	
Shares Account, Book 1631	\$ 9,303.82

JOHN P. MORINE, CHM.
JAMES W. KIDDER
ELEANOR J. STRONG
CARL F. ALLEN
JOSEPH J. BEVINS
MARY E. PORTEUS
M. NORCROSS STRATTON
MARY K. BOYD
JOHN H. ALLISON

School Committee

J. WILBERT ANDERSON, *Treasurer*
CLARENCE NEEDHAM, *Accountant*

Contributory Retirement System

1951

Balance January 1, 1951	\$468,721.40	
Contributions	62,837.75	
Interest on Investments	12,447.94	
Appropriation	28,914.64	\$572,921.73

EXPENDITURES

Pensions	\$34,176.68	
Refunds	13,446.93	
Expenses	974.02	
Accrued Interest	49.18	48,646.82
Balance December 31, 1951		\$524,274.91

INVESTMENT

Harvard Trust Company—Checking Account .. \$14,274.91
Securities:

Paid up Certificate Pittsfield Co-operative Bank	2,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% registered bonds 67/72	5,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% registered bonds Series G.	10,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% registered bond Series G	10,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% registered bonds 67/62	25,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% coupon bonds 70/65	2,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% coupon bonds 71/66	76,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% registered bonds Series G	50,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2¾% registered bonds 75/80	55,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% registered bonds Series G	25,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% registered bonds Series G	30,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% registered bonds Series G	30,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% registered bonds Series G	70,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% registered bonds Series G	5,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% registered bonds Series G	40,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% registered bonds Series G	10,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% registered bonds 62/67	40,000.00	
U.S. Treas. 2½% registered bonds 2/63	25,000.00	\$524,274.91

INVESTMENT TRANSACTION

April — 1951

Exchanged \$55,000.00 — 2½% coupon bonds for \$55,000.00 — 2¾% registered Bonds

March — 1951

Purchased \$25,000.00 in U.S. Treas. Bonds

July — 1951

Purchased \$40,000.00 in U.S. Treas. Bonds

SUMMARY OF MEMBERSHIP ACTIVITY

	1937-1950	1951	Total
Entrants	600	54	654
Deaths	25	5	30
Withdrawals	136	22	158
Retirement	61	6	67
Active Members as of Dec. 31, 1951			
Male		311	
Female		88	
Members on Retirement Dec. 31, 1951			42
Amount of Retirement Allowance			
	1937-1950	1951	Total
Paid	\$236,171.15	\$34,176.68	\$270,347.83
Allowance in effect as of December 31, 1951			\$28,914.64

CLARENCE NEEDHAM

HAROLD A. CAHALIN

J. WILBERT ANDERSON

Contributory Retirement Board

J. WILBERT ANDERSON, *Treasurer*CLARENCE NEEDHAM, *Accountant*

Report of the Town Treasurer

1951

Cash Balance, January 1, 1951	\$ 959,899.15
Receipts, 1951	6,801,646.32
	<u>7,761,545.47</u>
Expended, 1951	6,484,515.39
	<u>1,277,030.08</u>
Cash Balance, December 31, 1951	1,277,030.08
Contingent Funds, December 31, 1951	785.00
	<u>\$1,277,815.08</u>
Total Cash and Contingent Funds, December 31, 1951 ...	

J. WILBERT ANDERSON

Treasurer.

PARKING METER COLLECTIONS

1951

January 1, 1951—December 31, 1951	\$ 16,550.00
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J. WILBERT ANDERSON

Treasurer.

Statement of the Collector of Taxes and Town Collector for the Year 1951

	Collection Credits	Balance Uncollected Dec. 31, 1951
Taxes:		
1949 Personal	\$ 42.02	\$ ———
1949 Real Estate	180.07	———
1950 Poll	296.00	———
1950 Motor Excise	17,343.87	———
1950 Personal	3,275.40	———
1950 Real Estate	83,604.99	———
1951 Poll	24,386.00	276.00
1951 Motor Excise	324,746.64	15,598.56
1951 Personal	185,562.05	1,674.56
1951 Real Estate	3,133,670.82	95,144.47
Special Assessments and Water Liens:		
Moth	2,211.70	59.10
Water Liens (added to 1950 and 1951 taxes)	1,114.46	120.75
Apportioned Assessments:		
Sewer	2,459.46	220.66
Sidewalk	2,365.86	26.73
Street Betterment	8,191.32	390.74
Unapportioned Assessments:		
Sewer	6,818.17	8,943.58
Sidewalk	3,228.07	3,982.83
Street Betterment	1,223.17	9,794.43
Committed Interest:		
Sewer, Sidewalk, Street Betterment	2,624.65	164.37
Apportioned Assessments, Not Due:		
Sewer	1,251.93	10,496.61
Sidewalk	549.85	11,020.39
Street Betterment	1,035.89	26,581.04
Water Rates	200,216.22	11,943.66
Departmental	1,364,847.09	89,708.96
Interest Added	2,836.38	———
Costs, Charges and Fees	1,614.70	———
	<u>\$5,375.696.78</u>	<u>\$286,147.44</u>

J. WILBERT ANDERSON

Collector of Taxes and Town Collector

Recapitulation of Figures Used in Determining the Tax Rate of 1951 (\$54.20)

DEBITS:

Appropriations (includes all appropriations voted since 1950 rate was fixed)	
Appropriations voted to be taken from Available Funds: 1950—\$55,127.32, 1951—\$57,791.73	
Overlay deficits: 1949—\$5,608.95, 1950—\$13,670.36	
State Audit of Municipal Accounts (includes 1950 underestimate)	\$ 2,585.35
State Examination of Retirement System	196.93
Smoke Inspection Service	836.22
Metro. Parks Tax (includes 1950 underestimate)	40,254.95
Metro. Sewer Tax (includes 1950 underestimate)	91,558.08
Metro. Transit Auth. (includes 1950 underestimate)	27,415.77
Metro. Water Tax	27,415.77
Metro. District Expense	48,192.92
County Tax	23,791
Tuberculosis Hospital Assessment	142,263.74
Overlay of Current Year	44,700.12
	63,175.83

\$4,526,954.91
112,919.05

\$4,639,873.96
19,279.31

Gross Amount to be raised

CREDITS:

- Income Tax
- Corporation Taxes
- Meals Tax (Chap. 64B, S 10 and Chap. 580 of 1950)
- Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise (Assessors' Estimate)
- Licenses & Permits
- Fines
- Special Assessments
- General Government
- Protection of Persons & Property
- Health & Sanitation
- Highways (includes State & County)
- Charities
- Veterans' Benefits
- Libraries
- Recreation & Unclassified
- Water Receipts
- Cemeteries
- Interest on Taxes, etc.
- State Wards' Tuition
- Teachers' Annuity Funds
- Vocational Education
- Dog Licenses
- Overestimates (1950)
- Available Funds (Approved by Tax Commissioner)

617,497.40
3,503,074.69

3,503,074.69

Compiled by A. F. Wells, Exec. Secy. of the Board of Assessors, Nov. 23, 1951.

WILLIAM O. HAUSER
WALTER S. COOLIDGE, JR.
ARTHUR W. SAMPSON } Assessors.

3,503,074.69
3,287,297.75
188,382.94
\$27,394.00

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270,405.92	1,758.50	1,758.50
148,038.49	29,767.98	29,767.98
7,718.01	9,639.22	9,639.22
282,823.11	1,893.01	1,893.01
8,329.47	29,518.22	29,518.22
	42,107.38	42,107.38
	208,158.87	208,158.87
	11,089.22	11,089.22
	3,305.57	3,305.57
	9,799.25	9,799.25
	210,333.43	210,333.43
	15,646.47	15,646.47
	6,673.17	6,673.17
	10,290.38	10,290.38
	1,258.78	1,258.78
	14,952.70	14,952.70
	3,085.41	3,085.41
	27,985.74	27,985.74
	262,919.05	262,919.05

617,497.40
3,503,074.69

3,503,074.69

Number of Polls 13,697 at \$2.00 each=Poll Tax	\$27,394.00
Per. Prop. Val. \$3,475,700.00 at \$54.20 rate=Per. Prop. Tax	188,382.94
Real Est. Val. \$60,651,250.00 at \$54.20 rate=Real Est. Tax	3,287,297.75
Total Taxes to be Levied on Polls and Property	3,503,074.69

Assessors' Record of

STATISTICS OF THE TOWN OF ARLINGTON FROM 1943 TO 1951 INCLUSIVE

	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951
Town Appropriations & Available Funds	2,393,723.43	2,349,588.49	2,576,151.39	3,061,447.29	3,261,427.52	3,676,557.64	3,743,937.27	4,245,930.75	4,639,873.96
State Tax	(A) 46,800.00	110,352.00	62,016.00	45,650.00	45,650.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
County Tax	73,922.29	70,586.16	77,270.68	91,102.47	94,795.80	106,315.36	131,878.23	123,707.60	142,263.74
Metro. Sewer Tax	50,816.85	44,251.93	46,163.19	57,960.17	64,313.34	74,208.58	70,973.96	82,322.78	86,345.50
Metro. Parks Tax	12,535.49	10,627.24	10,184.12	15,516.48	16,593.39	18,751.04	34,368.73	46,575.05	38,384.98
Metro. Water Tax	98,898.17	84,464.05	85,105.32	35,721.00	39,572.20	37,253.80	38,837.40	44,372.96	48,193.92
Bos. Metro. District Expenses	139.92	141.40	141.42	142.75	142.75	146.69	.....	237.91	237.91
Charles River Basin Tax	5,708.12	4,449.68	4,981.67	5,386.87	5,109.85	6,660.66	4,899.35	.....	.....
Auditing Municipal Accounts	103.49	1,546.06	90.71	1,699.49	1,887.25	2,215.32	245.79	2,767.46	2,585.34
Auditing Retirement System	193.20	450.90	231.04	224.56	505.06	160.73	154.11	425.25	196.93
Smoke Inspection Service	669.93	590.72	454.46	726.59	673.68	708.33	723.68	765.73	836.22
Tuberculosis Hospital	16,248.42	17,781.23	17,660.60	15,178.75	25,556.75	25,556.75	36,829.66	38,565.80	44,700.12
Boulevards	1,882.47	1,617.89	793.89	374.38	255.15	214.36	202.72	.....	.....
Met. Transit Authority	3,779.40	.....	1,158.72	2,161.19	17,870.21	20,176.12	308,914.89	37,521.74	26,393.39
Nantasket Beach Maintenance	1,224.69	1,070.37	1,178.78	1,731.56	1,510.17	1,592.34	965.82	.....	.....
Overlay (total appropriated)	37,997.11	24,444.14	25,803.37	42,155.01	47,075.89	37,453.62	50,746.94	64,556.80	63,175.83
Income Tax	180,515.27	178,287.43	177,364.29	178,369.77	259,268.08	249,893.44	324,257.95	326,149.73	270,405.92
Corporation Tax	58,117.04	84,038.55	84,038.55	84,128.49	112,303.19	111,518.49	157,168.49	242,933.42	149,038.49
Meals Tax	3,028.93	3,535.69	4,097.77	6,463.64	6,112.50	7,331.66	7,427.13	7,340.66	7,718.01
Motor & Trailer Excise Tax (committed)	59,960.02	42,784.56	32,585.74	52,246.83	105,524.47	160,206.28	232,442.97	304,141.97	312,297.85
Highway Fund (Gasoline Tax)	.....	57,523.03	54,787.03	38,409.98	38,409.98	.....	.....	.....	.....
Departmental Receipts (Avail. Funds In.)	644,134.66	568,790.51	641,208.32	866,637.50	633,404.56	1,003,065.26	994,617.42	1,706,132.02	1,617,497.40
Franchise Tax (Chap. 804 of 1949)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Poll Tax (committed)	26,968.00	26,928.00	28,160.00	28,350.00	27,892.00	27,550.00	27,740.00	28,438.00	28,294.00
Real Estate Valuation	53,215,250.00	53,146,900.00	53,086,650.00	53,984,100.00	54,449,500.00	55,315,850.00	57,213,250.00	58,822,600.00	60,651,250.00

Personal Property Valuation	2,961,150.00	2,952,050.00	3,081,700.00	3,075,700.00	3,170,050.00	3,370,600.00	3,606,150.00	3,466,550.00	3,475,700.00
Net Amount to be raised on Polls & P.rop.	1,823,310.80	1,819,958.40	1,959,587.24	2,194,890.40	2,492,410.74	2,620,481.09	2,836,600.28	3,166,843.16	3,503,074.69
Tax Rate per thousand	32.00	32.00	34.40	38.00	42.80	44.20	46.20	50.40	54.20
Personal Property Tax Payers	373	345	338	357	403	384	343	425	656
Real Estate Tax Payers	7,763	7,853	7,852	7,979	8,288	8,096	8,117	8,284	8,505
Persons paying both Per. Prop. & Real									
Estate Taxes	180	177	192	204	236	238	228	232	231
Wellington houses	7,895	7,894	7,895	7,905	8,006	8,140	8,325	8,495	8,716
Horses	31	28	13	13	26	10	6	1	1
Cows	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2

Population: 1910, 11,187—1915, 14,860—1920, 18,646—1925, 24,943—1930, 36,089—1935, 38,555—1940, 40,013—1945, 43,515—1950, 43,984.

(A) Gas Tax deducted.

WILLIAM O. HAUSER
WALTER S. COOLEIDGE, JR. } Assessors
ARTHUR W. SAMPSON

Compiled by A. F. Wells, Exec. Secty. Board of Assessors, Nov. 16, 1951.

Each and Every Tax of \$54.20 is Used as follows for the Object Named

December 31, 1951

Assessors' Account of How Each and Every Tax of \$54.20 was appropriated for use of Departments, Boards etc., in 1951, as follows:

Appropriated	Dept., Board, etc.	
\$ 1,800.00	Finance Committee	\$ 0.0277
6,435.00	Personnel Board	0.0976
11,488.00	Selectmen	0.1789
13,708.00	Town Accountant	0.2114
30,744.00	Treasurer & Collector	0.4770
16,437.00	Assessors	0.2547
12,500.00	Legal	0.1935
14,860.34	Town Clerk	0.2298
45,948.30	Public Works	0.7111
47,286.00	Engineering	0.7317
13,490.26	Elections & Town Meetings	0.2087
1,000.00	Planning Board	0.0162
3,125.00	Survey	0.0487
30,022.00	Town Hall	0.4636
280,415.73	Police	4.3382
359,257.92	Fire	5.5588
20,292.86	Fire & Police Signals	0.3090
15,138.50	Building, Plumbing & Gas	0.2331
3,664.75	Appeal Board	0.0564
5,600.00	Wire Dept.	0.0867
3,788.00	Sealer Weights & Measures	0.0585
18,072.50	Moth	0.2765
17,960.50	Tree Warden	0.2764
44,924.00	Health	0.6938
600.00	Animal Inspector	0.0092
13,000.00	Sewer Maintenance	0.2005
195,233.75	Sanitary	3.0189
226,716.47	Highway & Bridges	3.5078
72,653.50	Street Lighting	1.1219
11,803.20	Traffic Signals	0.1827
440,408.00	Welfare	6.8140
37,068.00	Veterans' Benefits	0.5734
1,386,653.00	Schools	21.4545
86,301.00	Libraries	1.3333
95,920.00	Parks & Playgrounds	1.4840
83,196.67	Pensions	1.2873
1,900.00	Memorial & Patriots' Days	0.0293
2,596.50	Printing Town Reports	0.0401
10,491.04	Insurance	0.1626
15,500.00	Workingmens Compensation Insurance	0.2385
65,000.00	Reserve Fund	1.0027
8,275.00	Maintenance Town Bldgs	0.1279
142,524.85	Water Maintenance	2.2059
41,110.00	Cemetery	0.6341

Appropriated	Dept., Board etc.	
23,900.00	Interest	0.3686
63,280.08	Maturing Town Debt	0.9756
15,248.00	Civil Defense	0.2358
51,400.00	Sewer Extensions	0.7794
45,000.00	Water Mains Extensions	0.6959
40,000.00	Storm Drains Extensions	0.6504
20,000.00	Sidewalks, etc.	0.3252
36,403.16	Street Construction	0.5631
1,300.00	Easements	0.0201
16,195.80	Hospital Claims	0.2493
82,455.14	Overlays	1.2753
2,585.35	Audit Municipal Accts	0.0396
196.93	Audit Retirement System	0.0030
836.22	Smoke Inspection Service	0.0125
40,254.95	Metro Parks	0.6233
91,558.08	Metro Sewers	1.4146
48,193.92	Metro Water	0.7457
237.91	Boston Metro Dist. Exp.	0.0033
27,415.77	Metro. Transit Auth.	0.4238
142,263.74	County Tax	2.2011
44,700.12	Tuberculosis Hospital	0.6916
139,363.23	Increase in compensation	2.1561
100,000.00	Cost of living adjustment	1.5469
15,750.00	Acquisition of land (Library)	0.2439
200.00	Fire Prevention Code	0.0032
200.00	Honor Roll Board	0.0032
200.00	Town Garage Comm.	0.0032
3,000.00	Christmas Lighting	0.0488
600.00	Marine Corps. Hdqtrs	0.0093
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\$5,007,653.04		77.4789
1,504,578.35	Less estimated revenue	23.2739
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\$3,503,074.69		54.20

William O. Hauser

Walter S. Cooledge Jr.

Arthur W. Sampson

**ASSESSORS
OF
ARLINGTON**

Compiled by Arthur F. Wells, Executive Sec'y, Board of Assessors

Nov. 23, 1951.

Report of the Finance Committee

The Finance Committee of 1950-1951 held 14 meetings from January 4, 1951 to March 1, 1951 and reported to the Annual Meeting March 19, 1951.

The Finance Committee of 1951-1952 was organized November 19, 1951 as follows:

Precinct

1—Edwin A. Barnard
2—William H. Dunn
3—Martin F. Roach
4—Walter H. Flett
5—Warren H. Daniels
6—Arthur D. Saul, Jr.
7—Henry E. Halpin
8—William H. Farrow
9—Charles A. Armitage (resigned) John N. Loud
10—James R. Robson
11—William R. Bennett, Secretary
12—Wallace Gorton
13—Percival E. Richardson
14—J. Howard Hayes, Chairman
John J. Driscoll, Member at large, Vice Chairman
Executive Secretary—T. Gordon Smith

Sub-Committees

Selectmen, Police, Fire Departments, etc.

Percival E. Richardson, Chairman
Warren H. Daniels
Wallace Gorton

Public Works Department, Streets, etc.

William H. Farrow, Chairman
Martin F. Roach

Assessors, Treasurer, Health, Cemeteries, Library, Parks, Incidentals

Henry E. Halpin, Chairman
James R. Robson
William H. Dunn

School Department, Public Welfare, Veterans' Benefits

William R. Bennett, Chairman
John J. Driscoll
Arthur D. Saul, Jr.
Walter H. Flett

The following transfers were granted from The Reserve Fund:

Balance		\$65,000.00
Article #54 Advertising By Laws	\$150.00	
Article #57 Advertising By Laws	100.00	
Town Accountant — Expenses	200.00	
Personal Services	348.49	
Board of Selectmen — Expenses	800.00	
Treasurer — Expenses	514.41	
Article #42 East Arlington Library	9,972.00	
Town Counsel — Expenses	2,500.00	
Town Clerk — Expenses	25.00	
Board of Survey Overtime pay	125.00	
Personal Services	69.05	
Police Department Expenses	1,078.45	
Pensions	5,171.57	
Cemeteries Expenses	290.00	
Tree Warden Personal Services	100.00	
Workmen's Compensation	8,763.95	
Fire Department Capital Outlay	1,950.00	
Water Mains	10,000.00	
House Extensions	4,000.00	
Board of Public Works Capital Outlay	2,500.00	
Snow Removal	11,000.00	
Traffic Signals Expense	255.00	\$59,912.92
Balance		5,087.08

A total of 22 meetings were held from January 4, 1951 to December 30, 1951.

WILLIAM R. BENNETT

Secretary

Report of the Board of Selectmen

To The Citizens of Arlington:

Herewith is submitted the annual report of the Board of Selectmen for the year ending December 31, 1951.

This is the 145th time that a Board of Selectmen has made an annual report to the people of Arlington and the present Board with its knowledge of the time and effort the job entails pays just honor to the hundreds of fine and sincere men who down through the generations have governed Arlington wisely and well. The Town as it stands today is a tribute to their efforts.

As originally created, the Board of Selectmen had entire executive charge of all Town government, but with population growth, departments like schools, public works, parks and several others were set up as separate departments with elected Boards to administer them.

Your present Boards of Selectmen, while still considered the leading Board of the Town administers only part of our municipal affairs and any town-wide changes in governmental operation that the Board of Selectmen might feel desirable can be put in effect only through negotiation with other Town Boards, a slow and unwieldy process.

Believing that central purchasing of certain items would result in a saving to the Town, your Board has during the past year started negotiations with other boards to achieve at least a modified plan of central purchasing.

The Selectmen have had several conferences with the Tax Collector relative to putting tax title property, now held by the Town, back on the tax rolls.

The Board as you will note in the 1952 Warrant is recommending to the Town Meeting that two tracts of land—one unused by the Town for over 50 years and the other for over 25 years be sold. The Board believes that any Town-owned real estate not performing a useful municipal function and unless claimed by a department for some near-time future use should be sold. This plan immediately benefits the Town treasury and increases the future annual Town tax income.

Mr. Joseph Purcell, the 1950 Chairman, after three years of faithful service to the Town, did not choose to run again and in the March election, Walter T. Kenney was elected to the Board. At the first meeting of the Board, the senior member, Marcus L. Sorensen was made Chairman.

Starting in March and continuously observed to the present time, the Board has convened at 3 P.M. each Monday. This early afternoon start has enabled the Board to usually conclude its sessions be-

fore midnight. In addition to the regular weekly meetings, the Board has held a number of special meetings, surveys and hearings.

The highlights of the year's activities are as follows:

POLICE DEPARTMENT

During the year the department lost by death two of its most faithful members, Inspector Thomas M. Curran and Sergeant Maurice J. Scannell. These two officers had served the Town well for many years.

The Board during the year appointed three patrolmen to the rank of Sergeant, Edward Sullivan, Charles Scannell and Thomas R. Piggott.

In February occurred the first murder in Arlington in forty years—the death of Miss Ethel Ellard. Despite the most intense efforts on the part of the department, assisted by State authorities, the case has not yet been solved.

FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Board early in the year approved the purchase of a 1,000 gallon pumper for this department. Most of the apparatus now on hand has had a minimum of twenty years of service and it would be a wise policy on the part of the Town to start replacing a piece of equipment yearly and thus avoid breakdowns and costly repair bills.

The Chief reported to the Board that the wooden fire drill tower in the rear of the Highland Hose building was in a delapidated condition and was a menace to safety. After inspection by the Board, it was decided that the structure was beyond repair and orders were issued for its demolition.

Other matters disposed of by the Board include the following:

In accordance with the provisions of Section 11 of Chapter 41 of the General Laws, the Board met with the remaining members of the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund on the resignation of Harrie H. Dadmun and appointed Ira M. Jones to serve until the next election; the remaining members of the Arlington Housing Authority on the resignation of Harold Magnuson and appointed James C. Doyle to serve until the next annual election; and the remaining members of the Library Trustees on the resignation of Wilson D. Clark, Jr. and appointed John B. Fox to serve until the next annual election.

Accepted resignation of Carl O. Larson as Junior Accountant and made provisional appointment of Carmen T. Foritano.

Accepted the resignation of Paul H. Mossman as Inspector of Buildings and appointed Herbert J. Leary to take his place.

Attended meetings with mayors and selectmen of the M. T. A. District at Mayor Hynes' office to discuss the heavy burden of the M. T. A. deficits.

Initiated the passage of a bill by the Legislature providing for the retirement of Town Accountant, Clarence Needham, on a special pension plan.

Appointed a committee to review precinct lines and after lengthy consideration decided not to change precinct lines at this time but to give relief in certain precincts by setting up additional polling facilities.

Had frequent meetings and advised on policy with the Civil Defense Director, Daniel McFadden, on matters concerned with local Civil Defense.

Voted to take part in the Arlington activity of Movietime U.S.A. and extended the greetings of the Town to Miss Dorothy Lamour and her entourage.

Represented the Town at the Annual Massachusetts Selectmen's Association Convention at Rockport and took part in discussions on town governmental problems.

As a matter of general information, we are listing the various departments which come under the jurisdiction of the Board of Selectmen, as follows: Fire Department, Police Department, Public Buildings, Veterans' Services Department, Dog Officer, Inspector of Buildings, Sealer of Weights and Measures, Welfare Department, Moth Suppression and Town House Grounds, Town Accountant, Inspector of Animals, Civil Defense, Registrars of Voters and Boards of Appeals.

The Board wishes to publicly express its appreciation for the excellent cooperation it has had throughout the year from the Secretary of the Board, Frank K. Nicksay, and his two able assistants, Mrs. Catherine Harrigan and Mrs. Evelyn Ronbeck. We also extend our thanks to the personnel of our various departments for their efficient cooperation in our mutual endeavor to make Arlington a good place to live.

MARCUS L. SORENSEN

EDMUND L. FROST

WALTER T. KENNEY

Selectmen of the Town of Arlington

Annual Report of the Department of Civil Defense

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

In accordance with Section 3 of Article 3 of the By-Laws of the Town, I submit herewith the annual report of the Department of Civil Defense.

In preparation for our annual budget request and to determine our basic needs in disaster operation, the Deputy Director of each phase submitted an estimate of personnel, equipment and material necessary in his branch of our organization. The final estimates thus established, revealed that if we were to launch a full scale program with fully equipped, well trained workers, together with adequate equipment and supplies, the Town would be faced with an unusually heavy expenditure.

It was readily apparent that the Town could not fully prepare by itself for disaster operation. The cost of such full and complete advance preparation would be beyond our capabilities. Financial assistance by either the Federal or State governments was and even now is quite indefinite and uncertain. Even if materials and equipment were ordered, delivery of many critical items would be uncertain and very slow. Although no one will dispute that plans and a definite course of action should be prepared, it did not seem then nor even now advisable in view of world conditions that the Town should appropriate large sums of money for this program.

In addition to the administrative costs of our department the sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars was appropriated at our 1951 Annual Town Meeting for major equipment and supplies. This might be called only the beginning point in total dollars to be spent if conditions warrant a sudden change in our basic policy, but for the present we are considering this fund only as a reserve or emergency fund. When necessary it will give us initial funds with which to operate in an emergency or provide us with some monies by which we can purchase necessary equipment when and if, under more difficult world conditions, the Federal Government provides financial assistance up to fifty per cent of the cost of such equipment.

It is our policy to request a small sum of money each year to be earmarked for such a reserve and to operate during this present period of watchful waiting without any major expenditure for equipment and supplies.

Maximum use has been made in our plans of the various municipal departments, their personnel and equipment as well as the staff and facilities of Symmes Arlington Hospital. It is indeed an asset that the training and experience of these groups should provide the base or skeleton of disaster operation for they, being engaged in rendering public service are faced in their daily operation with incidents similar in a lesser degree to those in Civil Defense.

The ever present willingness, cooperation and practical planning of our deputy directors in each phase is most appreciated for they are serving this department in addition to their normal duties. They are listed below to publicly recognize their devotion to public service and to briefly show the scope of our departmental organization.

PHASE	DEPUTY DIRECTOR	NORMAL OCCUPATION
Fire	Richard J. Tierney	Chief of Fire Department
Police & Wardens	Archie F. Bullock	Chief of Police Department
Medical & Health	E. Vernon Rich	Administrator - Symmes Arlington Hospital
Public Works	Warren E. O'Leary	Secretary - Board of Public Works
Atomic & Special Defense	Gerard G. Kemp	Teacher - School Department
Communications	John P. Dempsey	Teacher - School Department
Amateur Radio Operators	Herman S. Bradley	132 Washington Street
Air Raid Warning Signal	Lester Cameron	Fire Department
Public Utilities	Francis N. O'Hara	Department of Public Works
Transportation	Thomas J. Keefe	26 Higgins Street
Welfare	George V. Morse	Director of Public Welfare
Plans & Training	Joseph H. Gaudet	Assistant Principal, School Department
Disaster Chairman - American Red Cross	Rev. Halsey I. Andrews	31 Hopkins Road
First Aid Chairman - American Red Cross	Roswell Derby	18 Mott Street
First Aid Personnel	Kenneth Cameron	Principal, School Dept.
	Bert A. Roens	Director, Pupil Personnel Services School Department
Administration of Loyalty Oath	James J. Golden	Town Clerk
Public Information	Elmer E. Barber	Teacher, School Dept.
Supply	A. Lee Morris	Secretary, Personnel Board
Schools	Clifford R. Hall	Superintendent of Schools
Engineering	James M. Keane	Town Engineer
Civil Air Patrol	John Wanamaker	188 Jason Street
Legal Counsel	Russell T. Hamlet	Town Counsel
Legislative	Hollis M. Gott	90 Churchill Avenue
Legislative	Henry E. Keenan	66 Palmer Street

Although the municipal organization provides us with a skeleton organization, our final success in disaster operation will largely depend upon the well trained volunteer. Since we feel that it is not necessary to activate many of our phases under present conditions, we have not actively encouraged the enrollment in Civil Defense by our citizenry.

The Fire auxiliary has been activated and is engaged in weekly training sessions. Similarly our amateur radio operators are most active and are now in the process of constructing two-way mobile radio sets for use by the Town in our defense program. Materials for such construction are being provided by these amateur operators. Volunteers have been incorporated into our Police Auxiliary which has remained active since World War II.

We now have thirteen hundred and forty-five persons enrolled for Civil Defense. These volunteers have been advised that we do not plan any immediate activation for training, but to keep their interest in our program, we issue to them monthly a mimeographed news letter describing the development of our general plan and the details pertaining to the operation of each specific phase.

Each volunteer has been screened according to information furnished in his questionnaire and assigned to a specific phase. By the use of a simple but very efficient code we can at a moment's notice call upon the services of both highly skilled and other personnel. An addressograph procedure has also been installed to facilitate the mailing of notices and bulletins either to our entire organization or to the members of a specific phase.

The installation of an air raid warning signal is about 85% completed through the efforts of our Fire and Police Signal Department. This should be completed shortly and has been delayed in its installation by the unusually heavy work load of this department. This is being accomplished however at negligible cost, far less than had been originally estimated. A radio for the reception of the warning alert signal over the State Police radio net has been purchased and installed in our Police Station.

Surveys have been completed of private as well as public transportation and public works equipment and this information has been recorded for quick and easy reference

Locations of main and district control centers, public works and transportation depots, auxiliary hospitals, and first aid stations have been designated and all public buildings have been surveyed for possible use as medical or mass care centers.

Air raid shelters have not been designated since in this age of Atomic Bombs, no suitable shelters according to Federal Standards are available in Arlington. However we shall continue to study this problem in the coming year.

A survey of training needs has been completed in each phase and the problem of training pamphlets has been lessened due to the avail-

ability of some training pamphlets prepared by the Federal Government. A booklet has been prepared in preliminary form on the subject of First Aid, designed to lessen the number of hours of first aid training to be taken by those not actually assigned to the medical phase of our program.

We have participated with excellent results in two communication tests held on a regional basis and shall continue to participate in future alert drills.

Our policy shall be to use existing facilities and equipment within sound planning and through a state wide plan of mutual assistance, other communities shall render assistance to us if we are affected by a disaster as we would most certainly help other cities or towns. This pooling of both public and private resources throughout the state is an encouraging solution to the present shortage of equipment and supplies in our community.

I deeply appreciate the wholehearted support of the many individuals and organizations who have in any way assisted the department during the past year. It has been a pleasurable experience to develop a program so readily supported by the volunteer efforts of so many people. The pledged and active support of our program by all municipal departments is of invaluable assistance. The advice and assistance of the Board of Selectmen in the establishment of a policy for this department is gratefully acknowledged.

Respectfully submitted,

DANIEL J. McFADDEN

Director of Civil Defense

Report of the Police Department

To Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my twenty-second Annual Report for the year ending December 31, 1951:

TOWN OF ARLINGTON, MASSACHUSETTS

Population—47,000 (approx.)
 Area—5½ Square Miles
 Public Streets—70.92
 Private Streets open to travel—35.33

The net cost of operation of the Police Department for 1951, including maintenance of Police Headquarters and equipment was \$288,151.96.

Salaries	\$261,245.68
Maintenance of Building and other Expense ..	28,750.52
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Gross Cost ..	\$289,996.20

Less Receipts as follows:

Court Fines turned over to Treasurer	1,485.91
Bicycle Licenses	147.00
Revolver Permits	98.00
Taxi Operator Licenses	86.00
Miscellaneous	27.33
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Total Receipts	1,844.24
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Net Cost of Department for 1951	\$288,151.96
Per Capita cost based on population of 47,000	6.13

ORGANIZATION

Chief of Police

Archie F. Bullock

Lieutenants

Albert E. Ryan
 Thomas F. Sullivan
 James J. Flynn

T. Francis Meagher
 Ferdinand A. Lucarelli
 Charles O. Toomey

Sergeants

William A. Riley
 William M. Germain
 James F. Ryan
 George H. Fitzgibbon

Philip A. Sweeney
 Edward A. Sullivan
 Charles W. Scannell
 Thomas R. Pigott

Patrolmen

George E. Alden
 George C. Alexie
 James P. Barry
 Henry E. Bradley
 John J. Buckley, Jr.
 Thomas E. Burns
 William F. Burns
 Amelio Cappella
 James M. Casali, Jr.
 John A. Casazza
 Francis A. Cook
 M. James Coughlin
 Frank J. Davidson
 James A. Doherty, Jr.
 John J. Donnelly
 James J. Donovan
 Gerald J. Duggan
 John Y. Duggan, Jr.
 Lawrence B. Flynn
 Raymond W. Forrest
 Peter Greeley
 Arthur G. Guarente
 John J. Hourihan
 Timothy T. Hourihan
 Edward J. Keating, Jr.
 Walter F. Knowles
 William J. Lanigan
 Robert G. Learnard
 John H. Lecain
 Daniel F. Lee, Jr.

James J. Lyons
 William P. Mahoney
 Agostino Manderino
 John F. McNally
 George J. Morgan
 Harold J. O'Leary
 Walter H. O'Leary
 Bernard L. O'Quinn
 Lester H. Peabody
 John F. Powers
 James J. Reagan
 John J. Roche
 John A. Ryan
 William A. Scanlan
 Wilson P. Schaber
 Donald Seabury
 Charles L. Sewall
 Denis F. Shea
 Richard F. Shea
 William J. Shea, Jr.
 Walter J. Smith, Jr.
 Albert E. Spina
 William E. Taylor
 Charles J. Tynan
 Virgil E. Wagner
 George J. White
 William E. White
 Albert L. Young
 Adalbert T. Zwink

CIVILIAN EMPLOYEES

Principal Clerk.....Anne P. O'Neil
 Clerk-Stenographer.....Bernice H. Holmes
 Matron.....Mary A. Tremblay
 Custodian.....Benjamin D. Knowles
 Motor Equipment and Radio Repairman.....Joseph L. Keefe
 Traffic Signal Maintenance Man.....James J. Carmody
 Asst. Traffic Signal Maintenance Man....James X. O'Leary

LOST TIME FOR YEAR

Days off, vacations and sickness amounted to 8,950 days.

MILITARY SERVICE

Patrolman Adalbert T. Zwink is still in military service.

PROMOTIONS

Patrolmen Edward A. Sullivan, Charles W. Scannell and Thomas R. Pigott were appointed Sergeants April 3, 1951.

NEW APPOINTMENTS

James A. Doherty, Jr.....	March 18, 1951
William J. Shea, Jr....	March 18, 1951
George E. Alden....	September 30, 1951
Virgil E. Wagner.....	September 30, 1951
John H. LeCain.....	September 30, 1951
George J. White	September 30, 1951
Richard F. Shea	September 30, 1951
John J. Donnelly	October 28, 1951
Bernard L. O'Quinn.....	October 28, 1951

MILITARY SUBSTITUTE

Lawrence B. Flynn was appointed a Military Substitute on November 6, 1951.

SEPARATIONS FROM DEPARTMENT

Sergeant Maurice J. Scannell died on April 19, 1951.

Patrolman Thomas M. Curran died on February 25, 1951.

The department has a total of 74 police officers, including all grades, which is a ratio of one and fifty-seven one hundredths (1.57) per thousand population based on a total population of 47,000.

STATISTICS ON ARRESTS—1951

Number of Persons Arrested—Male	2152
Number of Persons Arrested—Female	184
Total ..	2336
Residents	920
Non-Residents ..	1339

Juveniles or Persons Under 17 Years of Age:

Residents	48	
Non-Residents	29	77
Total		2336

OFFENSES FOR WHICH ARRESTS WERE MADE

CRIMES vs. PERSON

	1950	1951
Assault and Battery	18	16
Assault and Battery with Dangerous Weapon	1	0
Assault—Indecent	0	1
Assault with Intent to Rape	3	1
Carnal Abuse	0	1
Kidnapping	3	0
Manslaughter	1	0
Robbery—Armed	3	2
Threatening	0	1
Total	29	22

CRIMES vs. PROPERTY

	1950	1951
Breaking and Entering and Larceny	16	18
Concealing Leased Property	1	1
Forgery, Uttering and Larceny	11	16
Larceny of more than \$100.00 ..	1	5
Larceny of Less than \$100.00	17	10
Larceny of Automobile	4	14
Receiving Stolen Property	1	3
Trespassing	1	1
Using Motor Vehicle Without Authority	3	1
Wilful and Malicious Damage	1	0
Total	56	69

CRIMES vs. PUBLIC ORDER

	1950	1951
Accessory Before the Fact	2	0
Accosting Persons of the Opposite Sex	0	1
Assisting Company Obtain Transportation at too low a rate	0	1
Contributing to Delinquency of Minor	1	0
Carrying Goods on Other than Traffic Road	0	1
Delinquent Children	101	77
Disorderly Conduct	0	1
Disturbing the Peace	8	10
Discharging Fireworks	0	2
Drunkenness	166	148
Escaped Inmate	11	12
Fugitive from Justice	0	1
Gaming, Present at	9	0
Illegitimacy	6	2
Indecent Exposure	1	0
Lewd and Lascivious Cohabitation	0	2
Lewdness	5	4
Loitering	0	1
Lottery Laws, Violation	1	9
Meter Violation	140	162
Non-Payment of Wages	0	1
Non-Support	24	21
Obscene Pictures in Possession	1	1
Open and Gross Lewdness ..	4	4
Pedler, Unlicensed	2	1
Perjury	0	1
Receiving compensation for Transporting Property other than Rate Specified	0	1
Safekeeping	19	17
Sale of Obscene Literature	1	0
Suspicious Persons	45	24
Unlawful Use of Town Property	2	0
Unnatural Act	0	1
Vagrancy	1	0
Violation of Auto Laws	1036	893
Violation of Auto Laws (Operating to Endanger) ..	29	24
Violation of Auto Laws (Operating Under Influence)	74	68
Violation of Board of Health Laws	1	0

	1950	1951
Violation of Firearm Law	3	2
Violation of Fish and Game Law	1	1
Violation of Labor Law	0	1
Violation of Food Law	0	1
Violation of Liquor Law	0	1
Violation of Motor Fuel Sales	0	1
Violation of Probation	20	21
Violation of Town By-Laws	9	5
Violation of Traffic Rules	767	721
Total ..	2575	2336

RECAPITULATION

	1950	1951
*Crimes vs. Person	29	22
*Crimes vs. Property	56	69
*Crimes vs. Public Order	2490	2245
Total Crimes for Which Arrests Were Made	2575	2336
*Juvenile Arrests Are Included in These Totals.		

DISPOSITION OF CASES

	1950	1951
Delivered Outside	748	589
Guilty	1487	1484
Not Guilty and Discharged	129	182
Pending	68	17
Released or Discharged	143	64
Total	2575	2336

JUVENILE OFFICER'S REPORT for 1951 — Age Group
SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Total	38	2	6	1	4	4	4	24	29	5	1	14	132	129	3	21	34	5	29	34
Male	37	2	6	1	4	4	4	23	28	5	1	14	129							
Female	1							1	1				3							

MISCELLANEOUS DUTIES

	1950	1951
Accidents Other Than Auto—		
Personal Injury Involved	99	91
Ambulance Calls	187	157
Bank Alarms—False	33	36
Bank Alarms—Test	169	139
Buildings Found Open and Made Secure .. .	487	602
Buildings Reported Vacant and Protected ..	536	632
Cases Investigated	3,387	3,651
Complaints of Children	764	847
Dead Bodies Cared For—Animal	138	137
Dead Bodies Cared For—Human	8	18
Dogs Killed	25	45
Dogs turned Over to Dog Officer	9	28
Dog Bites Investigated	76	84
Dog Complaints	87	99
Electric Lights Defective	789	906
Electric Wires Defective	75	37
Fire Alarms False	29	18
Fire Alarms Given	161	168
Injured Persons Assisted Home	18	9
Injured Persons assisted to Hospital	137	161
Insane Persons	16	25
Investigations for Other Departments .. .	48	51
Lanterns Placed at Dangerous Places	37	96
Lost Children cared for	85	88
Messages Delivered	151	189
Missing Persons	41	52
Officers at Fires	355	281
Sick Persons Assisted Home	20	23
Sick Persons Assisted to Hospital	68	91
Street and Walks Defective	248	264
Wagon Calls	14	13
Water Running to Waste	54	65
Total	8,351	9,155

AUTOMOBILES

	1950	1951
Reported Stolen in Arlington	5	18
Reported Stolen in Arlington and Recovered ..	4	18
Reported Stolen in Other Cities	4,201	4,669
Recovered in Arlington for Other Cities .. .	10	21

OWNERSHIP TRANSFERRED

Permits to use by private owners	920	1,632
Used cars taken in trade by Arlington Dealers ..	2,015	3,535

LICENSES—REGISTRATIONS—SUSPENDED—REVOKED

Licenses to operate suspended	205	221
Licenses to operate revoked	51	51
Registrations revoked	17	11
Registrations suspended	0	3

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENTS

Fatalities	3	2
Involving personal injury	222	241
Involving property damage	169	187
Total	394	430

There was a total of four hundred three (403) persons injured as a result of these accidents.

The two fatal accidents were as follows:

On May 11, 1951 at 9:25 P.M., James Billings, fifty-four (54) years of age, of 18 Marion Road, Arlington, while crossing Massachusetts Avenue, near Lake Street, to board an in-bound street car, at the Lake Street car stop, he was struck by a truck, receiving injuries which resulted in his death on May 12, 1951 at 10:15 A.M.

On May 28, 1951 at 7:59 P.M. Peter Lussiano, seventy-one (71) years of age, of 55 Jerome Street, Medford, while riding his bicycle on River Street and when near the Mystic Valley Parkway, he was struck by an automobile, receiving injuries which resulted in his death on May 29, 1951 at 5:50 P.M.

There were three hundred forty-two (342) accidents investigated and a total of eight hundred seventy-six (876) persons interviewed, this last total being arrived at as follows:

Total number of operators interviewed	546
Total number of witnesses interviewed ..	181
Total number of injured persons interviewed	149
Total number of persons interviewed	876

OTHER FATALITIES

	1950	1951
Death—Natural Causes	14	13
Death—Accidental	2	4
Death—Suicide	0	0

DIVISION OF INVESTIGATION

1951

The following crimes have been investigated and are classified as follows:

	1951
Criminal Homicide	
(Murder and Non-Negligent Manslaughter)	1
Unfounded	0
Cleared by arrest	0
Not cleared by arrest	1

*Breaking and Entering and Larceny	98
Unfounded	21
Cleared by arrest	47
Not cleared by arrest	30
*Larcenies Reported	160
Unfounded	66
Cleared by arrest	22
Not cleared by arrest	72
*Larceny of Automobiles	24
Unfounded	6
Cleared by arrest	5
Not cleared by arrest	13
*Robbery	7
Unfounded	0
Cleared by arrest	2
Not cleared by arrest	5
Rape	1
Unfounded	0
Cleared by arrest	1
Not cleared by arrest	0

*Includes Attempt to commit.

OTHER INVESTIGATIONS

	1951
Accidental Death	4
Accosting	6
Assault & Battery	21
Attempted Suicide	3
Carnal Abuse	1
Concealing Leased Property	1
Disturbing Peace	5
Domestic Relations	11
Escaped Inmates	4
Forgery, Uttery & Larceny	22
Former eRsidents Investigated	47
False Alarms Fires	12
Fugitives from Justice	2
Federal Bureau of Investigation	3
Gaming	13
Home Conditions	8
Illegitimcay	3

Indecent Exposure	3
Indecent Assault & Battery	8
Lewdness - 6)	16
Open & Gross Lewdness - 6)	
L & L Cohabitation - 4)	
Mental	9
Miscellaneous Investigations	484
Murder	1
(Persons Interviewed	321
Missing Persons	28
Narcotic (Drugs)	3
Non-Support	31
Obscene Pictures & Books	3
Pedling W/O License	1
Prowlers	62
Receiving Stolen Property	3
Safe Keeping	17
Sidewalks Accidents & Pictures Taken	25
Sudden Deaths	13
Suspicious Fires	3
Suspicious Persons	41
Suspicious Autos	38
Unnatural Act	1
Threatening	1
Violation of: .	
Town By-Laws	5
Fire Arms	2
Labor Laws	2

INVESTIGATIONS FOR:

District Attorney's Office	14
Outside Police Departments	130
U. S. Army	25
U. S. Navy	31
U. S. Marines	19
U. S. Civil Service Commission	186

SELECTMEN'S OFFICE:

Claims Against the Town	14
Jurors	37
Jury List	126
Licenses	246
Vicious Dog Complaints	15

2418 cases were investigated by the Bureau of Criminal Investigation for the year 1951.

RADIO AND PATROL CARS

Messages broadcast in 1951	12,137
Calls direct to specified cars	
Arlington patrol cars	5,432
Arrests made by patrol car operators	
Without warrant	341
With warrant	69
By Car #7-A	162
By Car #8-A	124
By Car #9-A	75
By Car #10-A	49
Total arrests by Arlington Patrol Cars	412

POLICE SIGNAL SYSTEM

	1950	1951
Duty Calls	174,930	175,234
Telephone Calls	30	59

CRIME REPORT TO THE FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

TOTAL OF MONTHLY CRIME RETURNS—YEAR 1951

OFFENSES KNOWN TO THE POLICE—TOWN OF ARLINGTON

	Reported or Known	Unfounded	Offenses	Offenses Cleared by Arrest
Criminal Homicide	1	0	1	0
(Murder or Non-Negligent Manslaughter)				
Rape	1	0	1	0
Robbery	7	0	7	2
Burglary—Breaking and Entering	98	21	77	47
Larceny (Over \$50.00)	35	10	25	6
Larceny (Under \$50.00)	125	56	69	16
Auto Thefts	24	6	18	5
	<u>291</u>	<u>93</u>	<u>198</u>	<u>76</u>

NOTE: Attempts to commit above crimes are included in all totals.

CLASSIFICATION OF PROPERTY, STOLEN AND RECOVERED
AS PER THE ABOVE REPORT

Offense	Number	Value of Property Stolen
Robbery	7	\$ 400.00
Breaking and Entering		
(A) Residence (Dwelling)		
(1) Committed during the night	12	3,385.20
(2) Committed during the day	9	1,070.00
(B) Non-Residence (Store, Office etc.)		
(1) Committed during the night	53	2,948.85
(2) Committed during the day	3	31.50
*Larceny:		
Over \$50.00 ..	25	2,988.85
\$5.00 to \$50.00	61	1,494.84
Under \$5.00	8	17.96
**Auto Thefts	18	16,225.00
TOTAL	196	\$28,562.20

*Attempts to commit above crimes are included in this total.

**21 stolen outside Arlington recovered here, not included in above total.

	Number	Value of Stolen Property
Nature of Larcenies		
(a) Purse snatching	2	\$ 15.00
(b) Shop Lifting ..	5	128.91
(c) Thefts from Autos	22	1,108.00
(Exclude auto accessories)		
(d) Auto Accessories ..	4	38.00
(e) Bicycles	17	557.00
(f) All Others ..	44	2,654.74
Total	94	\$4,501.65

Automobiles Recovered

(a) Number stolen locally and recovered locally	1
(b) Number stolen locally and recovered by other jurisdictions	17
(c) Total locally stolen automobiles recovered ..	18
(d) Number stolen out of town and recovered locally	21

**VALUE OF PROPERTY STOLEN AND PROPERTY RECOVERED
DURING THE YEAR:**

	Value of Property Stolen	Value of Property Recovered
(a) Currency notes, etc.	\$ 2,284.79	423.37
(b) Jewelry and precious metals	1,662.40	364.00
(c) Furs	800.00	<u> </u>
(d) Clothing	643.90	120.00
(e) Locally stolen automobiles	16,225.00	16,225.00
(f) Miscellaneous	6,946.11	2,816.96
	<u> </u>	<u> </u>
TOTAL	\$28,562.20	\$19,949.33

TRAFFIC SIGNAL DEPARTMENT

The Department is responsible for the proper installation and maintenance of all aids to the regulation and control of automobile traffic such as curb marking, traffic lines, signs, street markings etc. and during the year maintained the following:

Bus Stops ..	7
Coasting	35
Curve Danger	4
Dead End Street	2
Delineators	227
Flashers	5
Heavy Trucking Prohibited	4
Hospital Zone	4
Isolated Stop ..	51
Keep to Right	8
No Left Turn	2
No Parking at Any Time	103
No Parking Between Signs ..	10
No Parking—Bus Stop	13
No Parking Here to Corner	44
No Parking on Curve	6
No Parking—Taxi Stand	5
No Parking This Side	119
No U Turn	22
One Hour Parallel Parking	226
One Hour parking Right Rear Wheel to Curb	3
One Hour parking Thirty Degree Angle	2
One Way	13
One Way—Do Not Enter	21
One Way Arrow	4
Pedestrians Cross on Red and Amber Only ..	10
Railroad Warnings....	7
Red Reflectors	7
Right and Left Turn	2
Safety Platform Bases	4
Safety Platform Floodlights	9
School	18
Single Line ..	6
Slow	38

Slow Playground	8
Slow School	25
Spot Lights	7
Thirty Miles Per Hour	13
Through Way Ends Here	3
Through Way Stop	200
Traffic Lights	44
Traffic Signal Ahead	28
Twenty Miles Per Hour	5
TOTAL	1,380

Installation of curbs, lines, street lines, street markings, repainting and replacing of signs and posts were as follows:

CURBS, LINES, STREET MARKINGS

Bus Stops	300'
Center and Vertical Lines	41,613'
No Parking (Red Curb)	1,357'
Parallel Parking	5,585'
Parking Meter Stalls	5,110'
Taxi Cab Stands	242'
Parking Stalls (30 Degrees on Park Ave.) ..	986'
TOTAL	55,193'

The Center and Vertical Lines covered a distance of 7.88 miles.

Crosswalks (Number of)	254
Island Curbs	10
Stop and Look (Word)	504
Parking Meter Stalls	302
Safety Platform Light Bases	10
Slow (Word)	210
Slow Children (Word)	1
Slow School (Words)	68
Stop (Word)	219
Stop Lines	98
Traffic Light Standards	18
TOTAL	1,694

The following Educational and Enforcement Signs Were Added or Repainted during 1951.

Bus Stops	4
Cross on Red and Amber Only	4
Cross Road Stencil	3
Dead End	1
Do Not Enter	1
Heavy Trucking Prohibited	2
Hospital Zone	3
Isolated Stop	7
Keep to Right	2
Keep Side Entrance Open	1
No Left Turn ..	1

No Parking Any Time	84
No Parking — Bus Stop	4
No Parking — Here to Corner	9
No Parking — on Curve	3
No Parking — 4 P.M. to 6 P.M.	13
No U Turn	10
One Hour Parallel Parking	27
On Way	1
Do Not Enter (Arrow)	4
One Way Do Not Enter	10
Pedestrians Cross on Red and Yellow Only	4
Posts Repainted	241
Posts Replaced	80
Railroad Warnings ..	2
School	2
Shoppers Only 2 Hours	4
Slow Down Danger Zone	8
Slow Down Speed Kills	8
Slow Scotchlight	4
Spot Lights	4
Taxi Stand	4
Traffic Circles painted	6
TOTAL	581

The following changes were made and put into effect for greater safety during 1951.

After survey, certain areas were designated as Danger Zones and signs were designed, made and installed at the approach of strategic locations. New school signs were also designed, made and installed in every school area in the Town.

Additional crosswalks were provided with the pedestrian instructions, Stop and Look, painted at each end of the crosswalk. Large signs with pedestrian instructions were also designed and installed in Arlington Center for the protection of shoppers. Additional pedestrian control signals were installed at Franklin and Broadway and at Mill St. and Mass. Ave. These new traffic lights were installed with the central control located at Police Headquarters which has facilitated the movement of traffic. Railroad crossing protection was added at Swan Place by the installation of traffic signal standards.

General traffic was expedited by the restriction of parking on Mass. Ave. from Central St. to Mill St. and on Pleasant St. from Swan St. to Mass. Ave. No Parking is allowed in this area from 4 P.M. to 6 P.M. on the right hand side of the street. Traffic was also expedited by the prevention of turns through island entrances at Mass. Ave. at the monument.

The Arlington Kiwanis Club provided twenty-five additional Stop flags for the use of patrol leaders at the various schools. White woolen mittens were provided to all patrol leaders by the Police Dept. through the cooperation of the local merchants.

As an aid to motorists and pedestrians, 219 "Stops" and 214 "Slows" were stenciled on our streets. All street marking were made with Prismo reflectorized paint in order that all markings would be clearly visible at night.

Traffic safety recommendations were made including additional pedestrian control at two points on the Concord Pike. The State Dept. of Public Works has already approved and installed the control on the Pike at Lake St. Traffic engineering changes were also recommended for Park Circle and plans have been made to put them into effect.

Speed control was recommended for Summer St. on both the State and the Town Highway. A Public hearing to this effect is to be held January 21, 1952.

TRAFFIC SIGNAL DEPARTMENT

The work of this department has increased tremendously because of the ever increasing automobile traffic load which necessitated the installation and maintenance of many additional safety devices, such as, stop signs, parking signs, painted lines and slow signs, and many other devices for the control of motor vehicles using our highways.

At the present writing there are approximately 13,000 motor vehicles of all descriptions garaged in Arlington, this, together with the heavy traffic using the four main posted Routes, 2, 2A, 3 and 60 which pass directly through Arlington, make traffic safety a continuous and progressive problem.

The school safety patrol, under the direction of Sergeant Sweeney of this department, has been completely reorganized and is now working in an excellent manner for the safety of the children going to and returning from school. The Superintendent of Schools, and other school officials, as well as the several Parent-Teacher groups and business men of Arlington, are to be commended for their excellent support of this project.

PARKING METERS

Parking Meters have become a universal method of controlling the existing parking facilities in all communities for the convenience of the shopper as well as the improvement of business of the retail store owner. However, it is well recognized that in addition to such meters adequate off street parking lots should be provided by the municipality or the business property owner for increased business and profits if they are to attract the shopper to the business area.

The municipal parking lot on Mystic Street has been a great improvement for business and the convenience of the public, and I have recommended to the Selectman that a section of the area be black topped and set apart for shoppers only.

I have also recommended that the vacant lot opposit the Robbins Memorial Town Hall be taken by immanent domain for an off street parking lot for the convenience of shoppers in the upper end of the business center and those attending functions at the Town Hall.

AUXILIARY POLICE

This fine group of citizens have again given many hours of their time working with the youth of our town. They have again this year carried on with their baseball leagues for boys up to seventeen years of age; their regular Friday evening dance for high school youngsters and their firearms instructions. They also support, under John Baine, one of the finest hockey teams in this part of the country.

We feel that a youngster busy with some properly directed sport has no time to get himself into any serious trouble.

I consider the Town of Arlington to be very fortunate to have such a group as the Arlington Auxiliary Police give so freely of their time and effort in this most worthy work which has proven such a decided success in curbing juvenile delinquency.

The finest cooperation has existed between the Superintendent of Schools, the various Principals and this department in the investigation and correction of delinquency. Credit must also be given to the character building organizations, such as, the churches, the Boys' Club, the Boy and Girl Scouts, the C.Y.O. and other organizations who have done yeoman service for the benefit of juveniles.

MISCELLANEOUS DUTIES

This particular report section shows an increase of 804 separate cases attended to over that of 1950.

A glance through this report will show the multiplicity of work performed by the members of this department in the safety and welfare of the citizens of the town.

Take the sick and injured cared for—this shows 284 persons, 3,651 separate cases investigated. There were 88 lost children cared for. In some instances with children, three, four and five years of age, they were held at police headquarters for hours before parents were aware they were missing.

In addition, investigations were made for several different Federal Agencies including the Federal Bureau of Investigation and Civil Service Department. Also many investigations were conducted for various commercial roganizations throughout the country on persons who had sometime resided in Arlington.

Under the head of Miscellaneous Duties can be found an enormous amount of detail work accomplished.

I am sincerely grateful to the members of the Arlington Auxiliary Police Association who have never failed to assist the department wherever their services were requested during the year.

To the Federal, State and Town Departments I am deeply grateful for their earnest and kind assistance, especially grateful to the members of my own department. I sincerely appreciate the wholehearted attention to duty exercised by all members of this department during the year. It was through their diligent attention to their many duties, in all kinds of weather, that Arlington continues to be comparatively free from crime and a good place in which to live.

In closing I wish to express my sincere appreciation to your Honorable Board, Officials of the Town Government, as well as the citizens of Arlington for their splendid assistance and cooperation during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ARCHIE F. BULLOCK,

Chief of Police

Report of the Fire Department

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town Hall
Arlington, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to present my Third Annual Report as Chief of the Arlington Fire Department for the year ending December 31, 1951.

MANUAL FORCE

The force consists of 94 men: The Chief, 4 Deputy Chiefs, 10 Captains, 8 Lieutenants, 70 Firemen, and an Assistant Superintendent of the Fire and Police Signal System; also a Department Surgeon, Dr. Edward W. Feeley, and a Department Clerk, Anna B. Hurley.

APPOINTMENTS

May 13, appointed three Permanent Firemen: John J. Carey, Jr., Temporary Fireman since July 9, 1950; Robert E. Kelley, Military Substitute since January 21, 1951; and Daniel J. Campobasso.

August 19, David B. Kennedy, Military Substitute since June 10, 1951, appointed Permanent Fireman; replacement for Lawrence F. Beasley who retired.

September 9, Paul R. Preston appointed Permanent Fireman; replacement for Arthur J. O'Connell who resigned.

June 17, Thomas G. Cronin, on leave since September 15, 1948, returned to duty as Permanent Fireman.

RESIGNATIONS

July 21, Arthur J. O'Connell, Permanent Fireman since October 3, 1948, resigned.

August 4, Lawrence F. Beasley, was retired on disability pension after many years of faithful performance of duty.

January 13, Robert C. Blomquist entered Military Service.

APPARATUS

In active service are three ladder trucks, three pumping engines and the Special Service Rescue Unit; one pumping engine is in active reserve together with two 600-gallon trailer pumps.

May 14, 1951, contracted for purchase of centrifugal pumper, 1000-gallon capacity, replacing Engine 4 in commission since June 1931.

RESPONSE

The Department responded to 850 calls, of which 197 were Box Alarms, 525 Still Alarms (telephone calls), and 128 Mutual Aid (out-of-town calls). There were 4 Multiple (2-alarm) fires. In 1950 there was a total of 932 calls.

A summary of alarms revealed that the greatest number of such calls occurred in the month of October; that more occurred on Wednesday than any other day of the week, and also that of these calls the largest number were between the hours of 11:00 a.m. and 1:00 p.m.

Thirty-four false alarms were sounded as compared with 43 in 1950.

The Special Service Rescue Unit responded to 40 First Aid Emergency Calls where the Resuscitator and the Inhalator were needed to administer oxygen to persons in critical condition through serious illness or accidentally overcome by toxic fumes.

FIRE LOSSES

Eighty-two losses occurred, 11 of which accounted for \$99,347.67 of the entire yearly loss.

The total assessed value of property endangered, insurance thereon, loss sustained, and the insurance paid are as follow:

	Assessed Value	Insurance	Damage	Insurance Paid
Buildings	\$1,687,300.00	\$2,112,900.00	\$ 68,212.79	\$ 68,212.79
Contents	272,897.00	265,397.00	43,422.75	42,572.75
Total	\$1,960,197.00	\$2,378,297.00	\$111,635.54	\$110,785.54

FIRES WHICH CAUSED LOSS OF MORE THAN \$1,000

January 1, Stephen Aghazarian, 162-166A Massachusetts Avenue	\$ 8,871.33
January 27, Anthony DiBeneditto, 49-51 Newland Road	1,220.00
February 4, Mernio Scafidi, 155-157 Mass. Ave.	19,617.60
February 6, Francis Murphy, 20-22 Moulton Road ...	1,931.00
February 15, Myles Leslie, 42 Forest Street	2,554.02
February 22, Patrick Naughton, 251 Appleton Street	1,240.00
March 19, Ida Olshewsky, 95-97 Melrose Street	1,070.06
April 6, Guarente Estate, 29-31 Chestnut Street	1,965.00
April 21, Waldense Malouf, 110 Magnolia Street	1,865.00
May 10, Arlington Coal & Lumber Company (With Exposures) 41 Park Avenue	54,532.66
September 15, Joseph Pastena, 80 Williams Street	4,481.00

APPROPRIATION

1951 Appropriation	\$377,115.56
Expended	373,684.01
Balance	\$ 3,431.55

CREDITS

Fees for 48 permits to blast	\$24.00
Fees for 12 permits for inflammables ..	6.00
Sale of junk	30.55
Refunds	20.68
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	\$81.23

REPORT OF DEPARTMENT SURGEON

Dr. Edward W. Feeley, Department Surgeon, rendered the following services in 1951: House calls 2, office calls 35, hospital calls 2, station calls 5, and physical examinations 4.

In addition he responded to many alarms and had conferences with the Chief on medical matters pertaining to the Department.

FIRE PREVENTION

All places of business, public buildings, schools, hospitals, convalescent homes, and places of public assembly were inspected each month, a yearly total of 8,800 inspections.

Record was made of existing conditions with the date when corrections were made. Regular inspection of this type of occupancy greatly decreases the causes of fire and results in smaller property loss.

Eleven fires occurred in these regularly inspected places, causing a loss of \$65,082.24.

Recharged 515 fire extinguishers in these buildings.

INSPECTION OF DWELLINGS

The Twenty-eighth Annual Voluntary Inspection of the cellars of every home in Arlington by the Firemen was made during Fire Prevention Week, October 7-13 when 8,881 houses were inspected. A record was made of each inspection.

The Firemen, who donated their off-time for this tremendous task, called attention to possible fire hazards existing many times unknown to both owner and occupant. It is through simple precautionary measures that lives and homes can be saved from destruction by fire.

One-half of the lives lost by fire occur in dwellings, and ninety per cent of all fires can be prevented by the elimination of common hazards.

Twenty fires occurred in cellars of residences, and of these, ten were caused by defective oil burners. There were 18 cellar fires in 1950.

The following is compiled as a result of Dwelling House Inspections:

Total houses	8,881
Single houses	5,675
2-apartment houses	2,996

Of more than two apartments	210
Vacant apartments	—
Combustible roofs	2
Houses with power oil burners	6,141
Houses with range oil burners	4,397

INSPECTIONS

Dwellings	8,881
Mercantile	8,800
Power oil burners	666
Range oil burners	84
Total inspections	18,431

FIRE DRILLS IN SCHOOL

The annual fire drill under the supervision of the Officers of the Fire Department was conducted in public, parochial and private schools.

A record was made of the number of classrooms, pupils, exits used and the time required to vacate each building, a copy of which was sent to the School Department.

October 19, met with Superintendent of Schools and his staff to discuss how best the Fire and School Departments could cooperate through planning to safeguard and protect school children and buildings from fires or other emergencies.

TRAINING OF FIREMEN

Training School for the Officers of the Arlington Fire Department opened December 4 with an enrollment of 24; classes to be conducted weekly.

Chapter 148, Massachusetts General Laws, Rules and Regulations, Department of Public Safety, to be studied thoroughly together with the correct methods of fire fighting operations.

June 11, the Department Drill School opened at Highland Station Drill Yard, but closed the following day owing to the dangerous condition of the Drill Tower. It was inspected by the Building Inspector who reported structure unsafe. Tower was demolished August 4.

Of wooden construction, Drill Tower was built in 1926 by the Firemen at a cost of only \$800 for material.

For years the Arlington Fire Department Drill School has had an enviable rating among the fire departments of the State with enrollments from many surrounding communities.

In 1949 the National Board of Fire Underwriters recommended that our training program be expanded, but now in 1951, we are without the advantages of a drill tower.

COMMITTEE ON RULES AND REGULATIONS

In 1949 the National Board of Fire Underwriters in its Survey recommended that a Bureau of Fire Prevention, a Division of the Fire Department, be established with a code of rules and regulations. As a result of the 1951 Town Meeting, such a committee was appointed to formulate these rules. The Committee is still in active discussion.

AUXILIARY FIRE DEPARTMENT

The Auxiliary Fire Force of about 40 active members organized March 9. They were assigned to the Department Drill School for instruction in fire fighting with Captain James A. Doherty, Instructor in Charge, assisted by other Officers of the Fire Department.

RECOMMENDATIONS

For the year 1952 recommend that \$399,807.77 be appropriated to include the replacement of Ladder 2 in service since 1925, purchase of life boat and pick-up truck.

Requested the appointment of eight new men.

Ask that a committee be appointed to consider plans for a new drill tower and drill yard.

CONCLUSION

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen for personal interest in the affairs of the Fire Department and to its capable and efficient Secretary, Frank K. Nicksay, my sincerest thanks. To Town Engineer, James M. Keane and his staff for valuable assistance, to the Police Department for usual cooperation, to the Auxiliary Fire Force ever ready to aid, and to other Town Departments for helpfulness, my deepest appreciation. To my own Officers and Men for splendid support and loyal efforts, my gratitude.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD J. TIERNEY

Chief, Fire Department

Report of the Fire and Police Signal System

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town Hall
Arlington, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I have the honor as Superintendent of the Fire and Police Signal System to present my Third Annual Report for the year ending December 31, 1951.

The System is maintained by Assistant Superintendent Lester W. Cameron, and one Signal Maintainer, Kenneth B. Colbert, together with Temporary Labor.

FIRE ALARM AND POLICE SIGNALS

Four open circuits occurred in the Fire Alarm System. These were caused by automobile striking pole, and pedestal; by corrosion in splice and tree limb breaking line wire.

Three open circuits occurred in the Police Signal System:

Circuit 1, loop cross on Pleasant Street from Addison Street to Lakeview;

Circuit 3, open at Brattle Street—Summer Street when automobile struck pole;

Circuit 3, open in underground cable, Massachusetts Avenue—Police Station to Schouler Court.

Automobiles struck and damaged:

Box 262 Massachusetts Avenue - Lafayette Street

Box 792 James Street - Thesda Street

Box 79, Summer Street - Harold Street, and five sections of line moved from temporary poles; necessary for construction work.

Box 572, Massachusetts Avenue - Lexington Line, moved 75 feet north and installed in pedestal.

Box 5521, Schwamb Company, 1165 Massachusetts Avenue, installed two new alarm valves to Auxiliary System.

Installed the following new fire alarm boxes:

Box 2431 Elmhurst Road - Newcomb Street

286 Concord Turnpike (Opposite #440)

7181 Overlook Road - Mountain Avenue

8412 St. Anne's School - 18 Claremont Avenue
99 Hospital Road - Symmes Nurses 'Home

Installing the following:

Box 355 Mystic Street - Kimball Road
394 Hutchinson Road - Lantern Lane
3941 Hutchinson Road - Winchester Road
6812 Kenilworth Road - Spring Avenue
735 Forest Street - Dodge Street
821 Park Avenue - Paul Revere Road
8421 Kilsythe Road - Lanark Road

Peerless 3-fold boxes replaced following (1890) Gardner-type boxes:

Box 53 Massachusetts Avenue - Schouler Court
Box 135 Broadway - Bates Road
Removed banjo pedestal from Park Avenue - Paul Revere Road.
Replaced fire alarm batteries #15 and #16, local circuits.
Installed the following new police signal box:

Box 262 Broadway - Sunnyside Avenue

Installing:

Box 263 Waldo Road - Windsor Street
Box 352 Highland Avenue - Ottawa Road

Relocated police signal boxes:

Box 26 From Broadway - Cleveland Street to Broadway - Oxford Street
Box 131 From Orvis Road - Randolph Street to Lake Street - Hardy School
Box 14 From Thorndike Street - Herbert Road to Thorndike Street (Opposite #133)

CABLE CONSTRUCTION

Replaced cable at following locations:

1200 feet 6-conductor aerial cable on Jason Street from underground pole to Jason Court and Norfolk Road to Brantwood Road;

800 feet 2-c aerial cable on Mt. Vernon Street from Gray Street to Spring Avenue;

600 feet 2-c aerial cable on Acton Street from Appleton Street to underground pole to Junior High School West;

1000 feet 6-c aerial cable on Eastern Avenue from Grand View Road to Fayette Street;

1000 feet 10-c underground cable on Park Avenue from Massachusetts Avenue to Lowell Street;

75 feet 6-c underground cable at Massachusetts Avenue - Brattle Street from manhole to Pedestal 55.

Installed 6-c aerial cable:

1400 feet on Marathon Street from underground pole, Broadway to Waldo Road, and Waldo Road from Marathon Street to Windsor Street;

4000 feet on Highland Avenue from underground pole, Massachusetts Avenue to Eastern Avenue.

Spliced and cut over 5000 feet 20-c underground cable on Broadway from Fire Department Headquarters to Somerville Line; old cable pulled out.

Recabling Massachusetts Avenue - Park Avenue to Lexington Line, and Park Avenue Extension from Lowell Street to Summer Street.

AIR RAID SIGNALS

Installed 50-foot iron ladder and 6-inch chain valve on Steam Whistle at the Metropolitan Pumping Station for easier operation of Whistle.

Installed seven sirens on poles at following locations:

Florence Avenue - George Street

Summer Street - Mill Street

Summer Street - Park Avenue Extension

Broadway - Everett Street

Lake Street - Margaret Street

Highland Avenue - Ottawa Road

Mystic Street - College Avenue

Sirens were wired for Edison service but are being connected to the control circuits from Fire Department Headquarters.

SPECIAL DETAILS

Tested air tanks at Headquarters for operation of Whistle.

Installed 2-way radio on Ladder 1.

Made 37 transfers of lines to new poles.

Placed in service at Fire Department Headquarters, 15KW Auxiliary Generator Unit. In case of failure of Edison electric current, this automatic emergency light plant will maintain the Fire Alarm System, and the entire building will be supplied with current. Radio communication will be uninterrupted.

Arranged Christmas lighting and decorations at the Town Hall, on Tree at Monument Park, at Fire Department Headquarters and at Highland Station.

SURVEY COMMITTEE

At the 1951 Town Meeting it was voted to appoint a committee to study advisability of replacing damaged underground cable on Massachusetts Avenue extending from Fire Department Headquarters to the Highland Station. The Committee held many meetings and is still in active discussion.

APPROPRIATION

1951 Appropriation	\$20,454.57
Expended ..	20,420.49
Balance	\$ 34.08

RECOMMENDATIONS

For the year 1952 recommend that \$18,895.09 be appropriated to include installation of ten fire alarm boxes, three police signal boxes and the employment of additional Signal Maintainer.

CONCLUSION

My appreciation and thanks to Lester W. Cameron, Assistant Superintendent of the Fire and Police Signal System for his sustaining efforts in maintaining this System.

Respectfully submitted,

RICHARD J. TIERNEY

Superintendent, Fire and Police Signal System

Report of the Inspector of Buildings

To the
Honorable Board of Selectmen
Arlington, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report of the inspection of buildings, plumbing and gas for the year ending December 31, 1951.

Six hundred and thirty-nine building permits were issued, compiled as follows:

Dwellings, 1-family	247	\$2,028.200.
Dwellings, 2-family	30	570,000.
Complete 1-family dwelling	2	11,000.
Apartment, 21-family	1	175,000.
Apartment, 4-family	4	64,000.
Diner	1	47,000.
Industrial buildings	2	14,400.
Garages (private)	35	23,125.
Garage, 4-car	1	2,000.
Foundation for diner	1	2,500.
Additions & Alterations ..	85	132,840.
Signs	32	5,798.
Reroof buildings	8	964.
Reroof dwellings	185	56,967.
Demolish buildings	5	1,560.
Totals	639	\$3,135,354

Seven hundred and ninety-seven plumbing and eight hundred and sixty-eight gas permits were issued.

FEES

639 Building permits ..	\$1,830.00
797 Plumbing permits	1,284.50
868 Gas permits	432.50
2,034	\$3,547.00

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT J. LEARY

Acting Inspector of Buildings

Report of the Boards of Appeals

To the
Honorable Board of Selectmen
Arlington, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Boards of Appeals report herewith on their activities for the calendar year ended December 31, 1951.

The Zoning Board of Appeals held hearings on seventy-one (71) cases. Of these forty-two (42) were appeals from the refusals of the Inspector of Buildings to issue permits requested. There were fifteen (15) petitions filed with and heard by the Board. Of the appeals heard thirty-one (31) were allowed, conditions being placed upon seven (7) of such allowances. The Board denied eight (8) appeals, dismissed one (1) and permitted the withdrawal, without prejudice, of two (2) others.

The Board of Appeals, under the Building Code, heard fourteen (14) appeals from rulings of the Inspector of Buildings. Of the cases heard eleven (11) were allowed, three (3) with restrictions. Three (3) appeals were rejected.

Appeals were taken from three (3) decisions of the Boards of Appeals to the Emergency Housing Commission. Two (2) of the appeals were taken with respect to zoning cases and one (1) appeal was a building case. The local board was overruled in one (1) zoning case and was sustained in the other matter which dealt both with zoning and building problems.

Three (3) cases were entered prior to the close of the year and are pending as of this date. Two (2) of the cases are appeals and one (1) is a petition. Hearings will be held early in January, 1952.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN R. SALMON
CLIFFORD E. LANSIL
ROBERT W. BLAISDELL

Report of the Wire Department

To the Honorable Joint
Board of Selectmen and
Board of Public Works
Arlington, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit my twelfth annual report as Inspector of Wires, for the year ending December 31, 1951:

STREET LIGHTING

800 Lumen Incandescent Lamps	..... ..	1,606
2,500 Lumen Incandescent Lamps	..... ..	34
4,000 Lumen Incandescent Lamps	..... ..	4
6,000 Lumen Incandescent Lamps	..... ..	388
10,000 Lumen Incandescent Lamps	..... ..	128
15,000 Lumen Incandescent Lamps	..... ..	10

INSPECTION OF WIRES IN BUILDINGS

One thousand, seven hundred and fifty (1,750) permits were issued during the year, fees for same amounted to eight hundred and seventy-five dollars (\$875.00).

Eight hundred and thirty-two inspections were made and five hundred and forty-nine installations approved.

POLES AND WIRES ON STREETS

The Boston Edison Company replaced sixty-three (63) poles in Arlington during the year. The reports from the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company to date, are incomplete.

I wish to express my thanks to your Honorable Board and the various Departments of the Town for their cooperation and courtesy during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT L. REID

Inspector of Wires

Report of the Sealer of Weights and Measures

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen

Gentlemen:

I respectfully submit my third annual report as Sealer of Weights and Measures for the year ending December 31, 1951:

Scales	Adjusted	Sealed	Condemned
Platform, over 10,000 lbs.	—	3	—
Platform, from 100 to 5,000 lbs.	1	9	1
Counter, 100 lbs. or over	—	1	—
Counter, under 100 lbs.	3	55	—
Beam, 100 lbs. or over	—	4	—
Spring, 100 lbs. or over	—	5	—
Spring, under 100 lbs.	—	49	—
Computing, under 100 lbs.	9	116	12
Personal Weighing	—	40	4
Weights			
Avoirdupois	—	97	1
Apothecary	—	233	—
Capacity Measures			
Liquid, one gallon and under	—	63	—
Automatic Measuring Devices			
Gasoline Meters	20	132	2
Tank Truck Meters	3	25	1
Grease Measuring Meters	—	70	1
Bulk Storage Meters	—	2	—
Miscellaneous			
Yard Sticks	—	16	—
Totals	36	914	22

This Department has turned into the Town Treasurer the sum of \$491.60, which was collected as sealing fees. The Town Treasurer also received \$100., in payment for Hawker's and Pedler's licenses.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES J. DOLAN

Sealer of Weights and
Measures

Annual Report of Department of Veterans' Services

The Honorable Board of Selectmen
Arlington, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

Submitted herewith is the seventh annual report of the Department of Veterans' Services covering the calendar year 1951.

The department is bound by law to furnish financial assistance to veterans of all wars and their legal dependents who qualify under the terms of Chapter 115, General Laws of Massachusetts, and to the dependents of service men and women during periods of war when pay and allotment checks are delayed for some reason or other. A thorough investigation must be made in each case. These types of aid are called Veterans' Benefits, War Allowance and Burial Aid. The enactment of Chapter 723 of the Acts of 1945 and subsequent amendments thereto have made it mandatory that this department furnish to veterans, their dependents and other kin such information, advice and assistance as may be necessary to enable them to procure the benefits to which they are or may be entitled relative to employment, vocational or other educational opportunities, hospitalization, medical care, pensions, compensation and other benefits. It also provides that the department shall have on hand copies of current booklets and other printed matter pertaining to the statutory rights of war veterans provided under state and federal laws. The Director must work in close coordination with the U. S. Veterans Administration, Army, Navy and Air Departments, the Selective Service Boards, the Department of Labor and other federal agencies which have to do with service men, veterans and their dependents as well as with our various state departments and the organizations of veterans. During the present war there have been almost as many calls from men in the service and their dependents at home for help in straightening out their pay, allotment, and other service problems, as there have been from the veterans now in civil life. All such activities come under the head of Veterans' Services, a tabulation of which follows:

Photostatic copies made	5352
Documents notarized	192
Discharges recorded in Town Archives	510

Counsel and information:

At Office	724
By telephone	494

Housing, Employment and Civil Service:

Office calls	374
Telephone calls	801
Letters	130

Selective Service, Allotments, Discharges From Service, Etc.

Office calls	334
Telephone calls	587
Letters	72

Adimnistrative, Business, Etc:

Office calls	265
Telephone calls	371
Letters, history entries and records	1083

Veterans Administration Matters:

Office calls	480
Telephone calls	842
Home visits	92
Hospital visits	45
Other visits	260
Veterans Administration forms completed	245
Letters	301

Total for year 1951	13,554
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A tabulation of administrative work connected with the disbursement of financial aid to needy veterans and their dependents, the amounts disbursed under the various classifications and the sums recaptured and returned to the General Fund of the Town follows:

VETERANS' BENEFITS, WAR ALLOWANCE AND BURIAL AID

Office visits (Applications, interviews, investigations, etc.) ..	416
Home visits (Applications, interviews, investigations, etc.)	361
Hospital visits (Applications, interviews, investigations, etc.)	25
Other visits (Interviews and investigations)	270
Telephone calls	825
Applications completed ,history entries, records and letters	1843

Total for year 1951	3740
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Cases on rolls	76
Applications and re-applications received	101
Applications and re-applications accepted	69
Applications and re-applications rejected or withdrawn	14
Applications referred to other communities	11
Non-settled cases on rolls	2
Refund cases ..	6

Disbursements to or on behalf of veterans and their dependents for the period January 1, 1951 to December 31, 1951, inclusive, were as follows:

Veterans' Benefits - (Needy cases. State participation 50% of authorized payments)	\$21,033.39
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War Allowance - (Full reimbursement by State) ..	193.30
Burial Aid—	
Chapter 115, General Laws (Needy cases. State participation 50% in Arlington settled cases and 100% otherwise)	0.00
Chapter 573, Acts of 1946 (Reimbursement of recognized organizations of veterans for expenses incurred in providing military honors at funerals of veterans who died overseas in World War Two and the Korean War. State participation 100% of authorized expenditures	\$ 37.00
Total disbursements	\$21,263.69
Reimbursement received by Town Treasurer from the State Treasurer in 1951:	
Veterans' Benefits	\$11,158.73
War Allowance	596.55
Burial Aid:	
Chapter 115	0.00
Chapter 573	0.00
Received from other municipalities	0.00
Refunds from beneficiaries	111.87
Total returned to Town Treasury	\$11,867.15
Net Expenditures	\$ 9,396.54

As was the case in 1950, there has been a general increase in costs all along the line particularly in hospital costs which has caused the budget, on which allowances of financial aid to beneficiaries is based, to be adjusted upward. This adjustment amounted to about 25% in the cases of persons rooming and eating in restaurants, and to about 10% in other cases. Again in 1951, as in 1950, there was no unemployment problem. During the past year, there was no employable person receiving aid except in one or two cases in which a layoff occurred.

In conclusion, may it be stated that the help and cooperation of the Board of Selectmen, their secretary, Mr. Nicksay, and the members of the Advisory Board of the Department of Veterans' Services and the faithful services of the employees of the Department is gratefully acknowledged.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES R. ARMOUR

Director

Report of the Arlington Housing Authority—1951

(Incorporating Report of Robert Hauser, the Executive Director)

The Arlington Housing Authority is pleased to submit, this, our third annual report of activities covering the year 1951.

Among the first actions of the Authority in 1951 was a joint meeting with the Board of Selectmen for the purpose of appointing until the next annual election, a successor to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Mr. Harold Magnuson. At this meeting, held on January 8, 1951 at the offices of the Selectmen, Mr. James C. Doyle was appointed.

At the Annual Town Election held in March, Mr. Myron D. Chace was re-elected for a term of five years, and Mr. Cornelius J. Brosnan was elected to a two year term.

At the annual meeting of the Arlington Housing Authority held on March 27, 1951, Mr. Myron D. Chace was elected Chairman, Mr. Joseph S. Vahey, Vice-Chairman, Mr. Cornelius J. Brosnan, Treasurer, and Mr. W. Dale Barker, Assistant Treasurer.

In May, Mr. Torsten Reenstierna resigned as an appointed member of the Arlington Housing Authority. Pursuant to this resignation, Mr. William C. Geary, Chairman of the State Housing Board, appointed Mr. John P. Kedian for a term of five years.

During the year 1951, Menotomy Manor was selected as the official name for the existing 126 veteran housing units.

During the year, 15 tenants moved out of the apartments, which apartments were, of course, promptly filled by other veteran families. There still remains a back log of some 450 veterans who are in need of housing and who have applied to the Arlington Housing Authority for relief of their situation.

The total rents collected for the year 1951 were about \$61,350.00. The Commonwealth of Massachusetts contributed \$34,500.00, making a total income of \$95,850.00. This contribution of \$34,500.00 by the Commonwealth amounts to an average of about \$22.00 per apartment per month. There will be, for the year 1951, a surplus of about \$20,000.00, which surplus will be used to reduce the 1952 Annual Commonwealth Contribution.

Though the Housing Authority is exempt from taxation, it will pay to the Town in lieu of taxes, approximately \$3,000.00 for the year 1951.

As well as managing the 126 apartments of Menotomy Manor, the Arlington Housing Authority has taken steps to provide 50 additional housing units under the Housing Authority law. In this regard, Mr. Robert Blaisdell of Arlington was retained as architect to design this new development.

In July, the Authority borrowed, in its own name, \$695,000.00 at a net interest rate of 1.267% for one year to supply the funds necessary for construction.

In October, the Authority advertised for construction bids and on November 1, 1951, publicly opened these bids. The Frankini Construction Company of Medford submitted the lowest bid in the amount of \$623,600.00. Subsequently, on November 13th, the contract for construction for these 50 additional units was signed with Frankini Construction Company, and on November 21st, official ground-breaking ceremonies were held, attended by several Town officials. By December 31st, 8% of the total job had been completed and construction is proceeding satisfactorily.

The Authority wishes to extend its thanks and express its appreciation to the various Town officials and departments for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

Arlington Housing Authority

MYRON D. CHACE
JOHN P. KEDIAN
JOSEPH S. VAHEY
W. DALE BARKER
CORNELIUS J. BROSNAN

Report of the Board of Public Works

The Board of Public Works herewith submits its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1951.

At the Town Meeting held on March 8, 1951, Joseph P. Greeley was elected a member of the Board of Public Works for a term of three years. The Board organized on March 19 with the choice of Thomas J. O'Neill as Chairman.

The meetings are held Monday evenings. During the year the Board held forty-eight regular and seven special meetings.

The following are the net expenditures made under the direction of the Board:

General Administration	\$ 45,595.18
Highway, Maintenance and General including Snow & Ice	209,938.64
Capital Outlay	34,813.39
Construction of Ways	148,375.67
Construction of Ways (1950)	92,276.04
Reconstruction of Streets	38.20
Reconstruction of Streets (1950)	33,624.35
Storm Drains	32,515.77
Sanitary	195,157.02
Sewer Extensions	50,574.42
Sewer Maintenance	12,975.29
Water Maintenance	142,928.23
Water Extensions	59,616.62
Increase Salaries or Wages, Article 9	25,434.52
Increase Salaries or Wages, Article 10	2,162.55
Special Compensation for Town Officers and Employees	7,876.73
Sidewalks and Edgestones	12,258.52
	<u>\$1,106,221.14</u>

TABLE I

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

Appropriation	\$45,948.30
(Personal Services	\$39,997.30
Expenses	5,951.00)
Expenditure	<u>45,595.18</u>
Balance, December 31, 1951	<u>\$353.12</u>
	Expenditures
Personal Services	\$40,984.02
Expenses, Office Maintenance and Supplies, etc.	5,402.91
Accounts Payable	<u>520.57</u>
	\$46,907.50
Credit for Articles 9 and 10 for nine months	<u>1,312.32</u>
	<u>\$45,595.18</u>

TABLE II

HIGHWAY DIVISION

Appropriation	\$211,603.91
(Maintenance and General Account	\$147,175.82
Snow and Ice	53,428.09)
From Finance Committee Reserve Fund	11,000.00)
Expenditure	209,938.64
Balance, Dec. 31, 1951	\$1,665.27

Expenditures

*Maintenance of Highways	\$64,872.45
**General Expense	85,926.39
***Snow and Ice	63,645.58
Accounts Payable	813.95
	\$215,258.37
Credit for Articles 9 and 10 for nine months	5,319.73
	\$209,938.64

*Street Cleaning and Maintenance, \$42,462.97; Maintenance and Repair of Sidewalks, \$6,976.94; Maintenance and Repair of Catch Basins and Storm Drains, \$14,701.62; Widen Corner of Massachusetts Avenue and Mill Street, \$396.28; Widen Southerly Corner of Hospital Road and Summer Street (edgestone only), \$334.64.
 **Automotive and Equipment Maintenance including Accounts Payable (Automobiles, Trucks, Compressors, Power Shovel, Tractors, Road Grader, Rollers), \$4,884.04; Tools and Equipment including Accounts Payable, \$22,432.12; Town Yard and Buildings, \$18,742.71; Stock including Accounts Payable, \$2,406.17; Street Signs, \$10,368.54; Miscellaneous including Accounts Payable (Street Lanterns) etc., \$4,963.95; Sick Leave, \$9,769.59; Vacations and Holidays, \$13,175.22.
 ***Maintenance of Snow Removal Equipment, \$8,476.48; Plowing Streets, \$15,417.79; Plowing Sidewalks, \$1,506.60; Removal of Snow, \$15,656.30; Sanding, \$18,498.79; Salt and Calcium, \$4,089.62.
 Note: Credit for Articles 9 and 10—
 Highway \$4,726.29 || Snow and Ice | 593.44 |
| | \$5,319.73 |

CAPITAL OUTLAY

Appropriation	\$45,000.00
Expenditure	34,813.39*
Balance, December 31, 1951	\$10,186.61
(Carried forward to 1952)	

* 1-Snow Loader	\$12,282.95
1-2 to 4 ton Chassis and Cab with Load Packer Body	8,197.71
2-2 to 4 ton Chassis and Cabs with Contractor's Bodies	10,975.60
1-½ to ¾ ton Pickup Body Truck	1,199.00
2-Special Bodies for Water Trucks	1,298.94
1-Sedan Automobile	859.19

CONSTRUCTION OF WAYS

Appropriation	\$241,408.16
Expenditure	148,375.67
Balance, December 31, 1951	\$ 93,032.49
(Carried forward to 1952)	

Expenditure

Berkeley Street, from Wright Street to end	\$13,162.20
Blossom Street, from Bow Street to Lennon Road	15,421.82
Burch Street, from Dorothy Road to Edith Street	7,521.53
Chester Street, from end of accepted portion to Eastern Avenue ..	2,697.76
Cutter Hill Road, from Richfield Road to Ridge Street	9,295.98
Edith Street, from Margaret Street to Burch Street	7,838.86
Florence Avenue, from Rhinecliff Street to its present end	18,693.55
Harold Street, from Summer Street to Berkeley Street	3,949.36

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Mott Street, from Wilson Avenue to Littlejohn Street	9,907.64
Oak Hill Drive, from Summer Street to Ridge Street	32,036.96
Oakledge Street, from Bow Street to Park Avenue Extension	7,393.85
Rhinecliff Street, from Appleton Street to Florence Avenue	18,784.05
Willow Court, from Massachusetts Avenue to its present end	1,672.11

\$148,375.67

These streets constructed by the Department of Public Works. The figures are not final as all streets have not been completed.

CONSTRUCTION OF WAYS (1950)

Balance brought forward	\$109,729.71
Expenditure	92,276.04

Balance, December 31, 1951	\$17,453.67
(Carried forward to 1952)	

Expenditures

Bradley Road, from Columbia Road to Winchester Road	Cr. \$ 960.04
Cedar Avenue, from Eastern Avenue to Park Avenue	2,348.89
Cedar Avenue, from Park Avenue to Concord Turnpike	1,280.21
Crosby Street, from Falmouth Road West to south of Upland Road ..	36,484.91
Eustis Street, from Eastern Avenue to Glenburn Road	1,999.13
Gardner Street, from Fremont Street northerly 600 feet	27.19
George Street, from Florence Avenue to Oakland Avenue	1,316.26
George Street, from Oakland Avenue to Concord Turnpike	5,375.54
High Haith Road, from Spring Street to Longfellow Road	214.99
Hilton Street, from Gardner Street northwesterly 300 feet	9,229.18
Longfellow Road, from Highland Avenue to High Haith Road	1,120.17
Renfrew Street, from Florence Avenue to Oakland Avenue	1,697.23
Rhinecliff Street, from Florence Avenue to the Concord Turnpike ..	15,504.26
Richfield Road, from Orlando Avenue to Summer Street	2,243.14
Upland Road West, from Crosby Street to Columbia Road	8,313.57
Valentine Road, from end of accepted portion to 100 feet north of Virginia Road	826.77
Waverley Street, from Florence Avenue to Hillside Avenue	5,254.64
	<hr/> \$92,276.04

CONSTRUCTION OF WAYS

COLUMBIA ROAD AND STOWECROFT ROAD

Balance brought forward	\$4,774.93
Returned to Treasury	1,500.00

Balance, December 31, 1951	\$3,274.93
(Carried forward to 1952)	

CONSTRUCTION OF FREMONT STREET

Balance brought forward	\$10,916.92
Returned to Treasury	8,000.00

Balance, December 31, 1951	\$ 2,916.92
(Carried forward to 1952)	

RECONSTRUCTION OF STREETS

(RELOCATION, ALTERATION, AND WIDENING, CONSTRUCTION
OF, SPECIFIC REPAIRS UPON AND IMPROVEMENT OF ALL OR
ANY PARTS OF BROADWAY, MYSTIC STREET, PARK AVENUE,
MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE OR PLEASANT STREET)

Appropriation	\$ 10,000.00
Expenditure	38.20

Balance, December 31, 1951	\$ 9,961.80
(Carried forward to 1952)	

This expenditure for advertising only. The construction to be performed early in 1952.

RECONSTRUCTION OF STREETS

(RELOCATION, ALTERATION, AND WIDENING, CONSTRUCTION
OF, SPECIFIC REPAIRS UPON AND IMPROVEMENT OF ALL OR
ANY PARTS OF MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE OR BROADWAY)

Balance brought forward	\$ 2,386.69
Received from State	\$ 23,045.80
Received from County	11,522.90
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	\$ 36,955.39
Expenditure	33,624.35
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Balance, December 31, 1951	\$ 3,331.04
(Carried forward to 1952)	

This expenditure covers the Resurfacing of Massachusetts Avenue from Lowell Street to Mt. Vernon Street on both sides, from Pleasant Street to Franklin Street on the south side, and from Central Street to Franklin Street on the north side. It also covers the final payments and sums received from the State and County for the Resurfacing of Broadway from Arlington Centre to Bates Road which was started in 1950. The work was done under Chapter 90 of the General Laws, the State contributing 50% and the County and Town 25% each.

RESURFACING OF STREETS

(RELOCATION, ALTERATION, WIDENING, CONSTRUCTION OF,
SPECIFIC REPAIRS UPON AND IMPROVEMENT OF ALL OR ANY
PARTS OF MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE, BROADWAY OR LAKE STREET)

Balance brought forward	\$ 2,308.23
Expenditure	0
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Balance, December 31, 1951	\$ 2,308.23
(Carried forward to 1952)	

RELOCATION, ALTERATION, WIDENING, CONSTRUCTION OF
MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE AND MYSTIC STREET

Balance brought forward	\$ 847.45
Expenditure	0
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Balance, December 31, 1951	\$ 847.45
(Carried forward to 1952)	

TABLE III

STORM DRAINS

Appropriation	\$40,000.00
Balance brought forward	3,129.34
	<u>\$43,129.34</u>
Expenditure	32,515.77
	<u>\$10,613.57</u>
Balance, December 31, 1951 ..	\$10,613.57
(Carried forward to 1952)	

	Length in Feet	Size of Pipe in Inches	Net Cost
Anniston Street, Udine Street easterly (re- lay)	40	15	
Benjamin Road, Robbins Road westerly ..	88	18	\$1,875.32
	80	10	453.84
	94	10	
*Berkeley Street, Wright Street westerly ..	559	15	
	59	10	
*Blossom Street, Bow Street northerly	219.8	12	
*Crosby Street, Columbia Road to Ridge Street	341.4	12	
	356.15	12	
*Crosby Street, Falmouth Road to Columbia Road	1,255.8	15	
*Dow Avenue, Rhinecliff Street Outlet	773	30	
*Edith Street	325	12	
	60	10	
*Florence Avenue, Charlton Street to end	378.22	15	
*Heath Road, Hilton Street to Norcross Street	367.4	12	
*Hilton Street, to Heath Road	163.42	12	
	10	8 trans.	
	48	8 bl. ir.	
	12	10	
Lake Street, Install manhole approxi- mately 100 feet west of Concord Turn- pike	24	12	934.15
Massachusetts Avenue, present end to No. 1231	236.3	10	784.29
Mill Brook Culvert	250	9 ft.	26,779.24
*Mott Street Outlet Drain (not complete)	102	10	
	333.1	12	
	220	15	
*Oak Hill Drive, Woodside Lane north- easterly	203.1	10	
*Oak Hill Drive, present end northeasterly	302.9	10	
	151.7	12	
Parber Road, through Private Lands (re- lay)	174	15	793.71
*Private Lands, Berkeley Street Outlet ..	178	15	
*Private Lands, Norcross Street to Premont Street	495	15	
*Ridge Street, Crosby Street to Cutter Hill Road	276.1	12	
Ryder Street, Rise Manhole and install catch basin between Summer Street and Boston and Maine Railroad		10	538.18
	16		357.04
**General Expense			
	8,190.29		\$32,515.77

*Installed in connection with Street Construction.

**Credit for Article 9 for nine months, \$140.19; Stock \$220.26; Tools and Equipment, \$58.22; Holiday, \$218.75.

TABLE IV

SANITARY DIVISION

Appropriation	\$195,233.75
Expenditure	195,157.02
Balance, December 31, 1951	\$76.73
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	Expenditure
Ashes, Paper and Rubbish	\$ 92,099.35
Offal	104,382.24
Dump Maintenance, etc.	2,933.07
Supplies and Sundries	1,135.55
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	\$200,560.21
Credit for Articles 9 and 10 for nine months	5,403.19
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	\$195,157.02
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TABLE V

SEWER EXTENSIONS

Appropriation	\$40,000.00
Balance brought forward	15,274.22
Special Appropriation Article 17	5,800.00
Special Appropriation Article 18	5,600.00
Balance brought forward special	
Appropriation Article 14	2,203.41
Expenditure	\$68,877.63
Balance, December 31, 1951	50,574.42
(Carried forward to 1952)	\$18,303.21

	Length in Feet	Size of Pipe in Inches	Net Cost	
*Berkeley Street, Wright Street westerly	138.0	8		W
*Blossom Street, old end to old end	172	8		W
*Blossom Street, from Park Avenue Extension easterly	111.7	8	\$ 948.49	W
*Burch Street, Osborne Road to Edith Street	159.15	8		W
*Charles Street, Martin Street to Crawford Street and	160.85)	8		W
Crawford Street, Martin Street westerly	331.85)	8	2,646.34	W
Churchill Avenue, from present end southwesterly (started in 1950)	197.6	8	939.12	W
Concord Turnpike, from Wollaston Avenue easterly (started in 1950)		8	936.29	W
Crosby Street, from present end to service No. 47 Ridge Street	55.0	8	479.08	W
*Crosby Street Outlet Sewer		8		W
**Dickson Avenue (Inspection)	1,286.4	8		W
Dothan Street to service lot 16	494.0	8	110.61	W
**Dothan Street, from Margaret Street to Burch Street	133.22	8	714.12	W
*Edith Street, from Margaret Street to Burch Street	334.0	15		
*Florence Avenue, near Charlton Street to end	546.89	8		
Hazel Terrace (Inspection)			6.04	
Hodge Road, present end to lot No. 56	139.0	8	850.53	W
Hodge Road, to service Nos. 72 and 76	243.9	8	542.61	W
James Street, from Thesda Street to end	438.0	8	2,705.06	W
Margaret Street, from Edith Street to present outlet main at Boston and Maine				
Railroad	227.0	15	3,941.71	
**Marion Circle	190.0	8		W
Morningside Drive from present end to No. 51 (not complete)			846.07	W
**Mountain Avenue (Inspection)	649.5	8	31.42	
Mystic Lake Drive, Construct Pump Chamber and install main and force main	12.0)	8		
	112.0)	6" iron	1,524.65	
*Oakledge Street, end westerly	86.0	8		
Orient Avenue, Summer Street to Westmoreland Avenue	740.0	8	5,777.63	
Ortona Street, present end to existing manhole on Piedmont Street	65.0	8	579.32	
**Overlook Road, end to Dickson Avenue	130.0	8		
Philemon Street, from James Street northwesterly	292.0	8	2,242.40	W

Piedmont Street, from Wollaston Avenue westerly	320.6	8	1,584.63	W
Piedmont Street, from Williams Street westerly (not complete)	200.0	8	759.41	W
Ridge Street, to service No. 90 (not complete)	150.0	8	1,952.60	W
Ridge Street, from present end to lot 102 (started in 1950)			29.52	
Summer Street, Orient Avenue westerly (started in 1950)	290.0	15	7,921.12	W
Upland Road West, end to Columbia Road (started in 1950)			27.17	
**Vista Circle (Inspection)	330.3	8	97.99	W
**Windmill Lane (Inspection)	740.0	8	9.05	W
Wollaston Avenue, Construct Pump Chamber at Dow Avenue			8,853.90	
**Woodside Lane (Inspection)	862.0	8	152.20	W
***General Expense			3,365.34	
	<u>10,337.96</u>		<u>\$50,574.42</u>	

*Installed in connection with Street Construction.

**Installed by Developer.

***Credit for Article 9 for nine months, \$617.05; Stock, \$688.23; Tools and Equipment, \$1,580.75; Miscellaneous, \$1,164.06; Holiday, \$549.35.

W" indicates water in same trench.

TABLE VI

SEWER MAINTENANCE DIVISION

Appropriation	\$ 13,000.00
Expenditure	12,975.29
Balance, December 31, 1951	\$ 24.71
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	Expenditure
Resurfacing	\$ 309.63
Repairing, Relaying, Cleaning and Flushing Main Sewers	9,002.65
Care and Repair of Sewer Pumps	3,188.43
Tools and Equipment	379.83
Holidays	292.94
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	\$ 13,173.48
Credit for Article 9 for nine months	198.19
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	\$ 12,975.29
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ARLINGTON WATER WORKS

Arlington, Middlesex County, Massachusetts

Population by census of 1950, 43,984.

Date of construction low service, 1872; high service, 1894.

By whom owned, Town of Arlington.

Source of supply, Metropolitan Water System.

Consumption

1. Estimated total population at date, 44,500.
2. Estimated population on lines of pipe, 44,000.
3. Estimated population supplied, 44,400.
4. Total consumption for the year, 1,207,493,000 gallons.
5. Percentage of consumption metered, 100%.
6. Average daily consumption, 3,308,200 gallons.
7. Gallons per day per capita, 74.

Distribution

(including auxiliary supply from old Reservoir)

Mains

Seven thousand, three hundred and thirty six feet of new water mains were laid during the year and connected with the Metropolitan System. One thousand, three hundred and sixty three feet of mains were re-laid during the year. Details of regular water main construction will be found in Table VIII.

1. Kind of pipe; cast-iron, cement and transite.
2. Sizes, from 4 inch to 16 inch.
3. Extended feet during year, 7,336.
4. Number of feet renewed during year, 1,363.
5. Discontinued during year, 1,363.
6. Total now in use, 106.46 miles.
7. Cost of repairs per mile, \$123.89.
8. Length of pipe less than 4 inches in diameter, 283 feet.
9. Number of hydrants added during year, 21.
10. Number of hydrants now in use, 1,126.
11. Number of stop gates added during year, 58.
12. Number of stop gates now in use, 2,531.
13. Average pressure on mains at center of Town, 110 high system, 65 low system.

Services

Two hundred and seventy new services have been added during the year and six were abandoned. There are for all purposes 3,972 on the low, 5,786 on the high, and 3 on the old reservoir system. On the Metropolitan water supply there are 74 services for municipal purposes, 33 sprinkler services, and 44 for sewer flushing purposes included in the above. On January 1, 1952, 263 services were temporarily out of use.

1. Kind of pipe: copper, cement-lined, black wrought iron and lead, 3 inch to 6 inch cast iron.

2. Sizes, 1 inch to 6 inch.
3. Number of service taps added during year, 270.
4. Number of services abandoned during year, 6.
5. Number of services now in use, 9,758.
6. Percentage of services metered, 100%.

Meters

Two hundred and seventy meters were set during 1951 on services installed in 1950-1951. The total number of meters in use January 1, 1952 is 9,758.

TABLE VII

WATER MAINTENANCE DIVISION

Balance Jan. 1, 1951	\$ 2,568.60
Appropriation 1951	142,524.85
From Reserve Fund	4,000.00
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	149,093.45
Expenditures 1951	142,928.23
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Balance Jan. 1, 1952	6,165.22

DISTRIBUTION OF EXPENDITURES

Maintenance	Expenditures
Renewal of Services & Mains	\$ 6,361.49
Services-Care & Repair	26,488.82
Meters-Care, Repair & Reading	22,946.21
Turning Water Off and On	54.07
Shop	3,870.12
Tools & Equipment	8,360.31
Hydrants & Gates-Care & Repair	5,634.14
Mains-Care & Repair	7,351.04
Calgon Chamber	1,698.53
Reservoir & Great Meadows	574.92
Renewals etc., Chapter 90 ..	4,797.64
Renewals—1951 Streets	5,745.44
Meter—Pleasant St. at Turnpike	42.54
Capital Outlay—Meters	12,614.87
House Connections ...	16,599.68
*General Expense	19,788.41
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	\$142,928.23

*Stock, \$6,796.69; Sick Leave \$3,805.41; Holidays \$3,055.45; Vacations \$4,536.22; Miscellaneous \$4,612.54; Article 9 Credit \$3,017.90.

TABLE VIII

EXTENSION OF HIGH SERVICE SYSTEM

						Balance, January 1, 1951	
						\$18,936.61	
						Appropriation	
						45,000.00	
						From Reserve Fund	
						10,000.00	
						Expenditure 1951	
						\$73,936.61	
						59,616.62	
						Balance, January 1, 1952	
						\$14,319.99	
	Description	Size of Pipe in Inches	Length in Feet	Hydrants	Gates	Total Cost	
1	Berkeley St.	8	42		1	\$ 440.88	\$
1	Blossom St.—near Park Ave. Ext.	6	106		1		
1	Blossom St.—old end to old end at #25	6	116	1	1	1,274.46	
	Charles St.—old end to Crawford St.	8	155	1	2	2,533.79	
2	Crawford St.—Charles St. northwesterly	8	393		1	1,146.34	
2	Churchill Ave.—old end southerly			1	1	832.22	
2	Concord Turnpike—Wollaston Ave. easterly						
1	Crosby St.—thru private lands to Columbia Rd.	12	1034	1	6	1,918.16	
4	Dickson Ave.—Overlook Rd. southeasterly	8	494	2	4	870.59	
1	Dothan St.—Wright St. westerly	8	135				
1	Florence Ave.—old end westerly	8	14				
4	Hazel Terrace—Woodside Lane southeasterly	8	229	1	2	801.29	
	Hodge Rd.—old end to #56	8	139			1,084.59	
	Hodge Rd.—Lovell Rd. to #76	8	261		1	1,031.75	
	James St.—northerly from Thesda St.	8	673	1	3	4,233.04	
	Morningside Dr.—present end to #51	8	200			651.12	
1	Oak Hill Dr.—old end northeasterly	12	103		1		
	Parker Rd.—Robin Hood Rd. northerly	8	154		1	955.84	
	Philemon St.—James St. northwesterly	8	288		3	2,679.53	
	Piedmont St.—Williams St. westerly	8	200		1	1,079.08	
	Rhinecliff St.—hydrant installation	6	16	1	1	701.20	
1	Rhinecliff St.—at Dow Ave.	8	33		1		
	Ridge St.—present end northerly	12	114			710.82	
	Summer St.—Orient Ave. northwesterly	8			1	1,699.17	
	Virginia Rd.—hydrant installation	6	290		1	440.58	
4	Vista Circle—Woodside Lane westerly	8	5	1	2	1,217.75	
4	Windmill Lane—Present end to nr. Morningside Dr.	8	372	1	4	4,621.24	
4	Woodside Lane—lot 40 northerly	8	906	2			
	Hydrants & Gates installed under Mater Maint.		864	2			
3	General Expense				3	3,187.45	
	Total High Service				1	7,976.29	
	Total		7336	15	43	\$42,087.18	

EXTENSION OF LOW SERVICE SYSTEM

	6	18	1	1	547.99	\$
Alton St.—hydrant installation	6	18	1	1	547.99	
1 Burch St.—Dorothy Rd. to Edith St.	8	261	3	3		
1 Hilton St.—old end westerly	8	12	1	1		
Lee Terrace—Mass. Ave. northeasterly ..	8	331	1	2	2,205.24	\$
4 Marion Rd. & Circle	8	130		1	378.75	
Mass. Ave.—hydrant install. at Mystic St.			1		513.08	
Sachem Ave.—Mystic St. easterly	8	228		4	1,785.63	
Sunapee Rd.—Mass. Ave. northeasterly ..	8	383	2	3	4,322.19	
Total Low Service		1363	6	15	9,752.88	
Total Extensions		8699	21	58	51,840.06	

RENEWALS — HIGH SERVICE SYSTEM

	12	152	1	1	1,889.71	
Crosby St.—Upland Rd. easterly to old end	8	688	1	1	5,886.85	
Mass. Ave.—to Schwab's Mill						
Total High Service Renewals		840	1	2	7,776.56	

RENEWALS — LOW SERVICE SYSTEM

			1			
1 Hilton St.—hydrant renewal			1			
Total Low Service Renewals			1			
Totals Renewals		840	2	2	7,776.56	
TOTAL EXTENSIONS & RENEWALS		9539	23	60	\$59,616.62	

1—Installed under street construction appropriation

2—Installation started 1950 & completed 1951

3—Includes Art. #9 credit \$520.76; stock, \$6,739.69; Tools & Equipment, \$804.25; Miscellaneous \$326.52; Holidays, \$626.59

4—labor by developer

S—indicates sewer in same trench

TABLE IX
WATER MAINS NOW IN SERVICE

Size	LOW SERVICE SYSTEM					HIGH SERVICE SYSTEM					RESERVOIR SYSTEM				
	Cast Iron Pipe		Transite Pipe			Cast Iron Pipe		Transite Pipe			Cement and Cast Iron Pipe		Transite Pipe		
	Length in Feet	Hy-drants	Gates	Length in Feet	Hy-drants	Gates	Length in Feet	Hy-drants	Gates	Length in Feet	Length in Feet	Hy-drants	Gates	Length in Feet	Hy-drants
16							2,388								
12	7,274						37,688			7,747	1,976				
10	16,497			1,228			23,038			2,190	270				
8	40,302			29,688			92,007			35,464	2,156				
6	103,099			805			147,487			1,038	4,175			5,196	
4							160				220				
Totals	167,172	410	811	31,721			302,768	706	1,695	46,439	8,797	10	25	5,196	

Total length of mains in service 562,093 ft—106.46 miles
Total number of gates in service—2531
Total number of hydrants in service—1126

WATER DIVISION

RECEIPTS FOR WATER CONSUMED

Year

1942	\$178,609.03
1943	184,222.45
1944	191,426.20
1945	184,167.25
1946	195,616.20
1947	187,851.78
1948	182,015.78
1949	181,890.59
1950	203,029.48
1951	200,029.08

Percentage of receipts from metered water, 94.35%

WATER RATES COMMITTED DURING 1951

January 1	18,737.04	
February 1	13,780.92	
March 1	14,344.01	
April 1	18,499.91	
May 1	13,305.06	
June 1	14,754.71	
July 1	20,994.89	
August 1	15,508.66	
September 1	17,286.53	
October 1	22,945.17	
November 1	15,259.59	
December 1	15,590.70	\$201,007.19

VALUE OF WATER FURNISHED FREE TO TOWN DEPARTMENTS:

School	2,485.52	
Selectmen	2,421.04	
Cemetery	1,434.80	
Library	99.14	
Park	1,293.18	
Public Works	2,194.20	\$ 9,927.88

1951 EXPENDITURES

Water Maintenance	142,928.23	
Water Extensions	59,616.62	
Metropolitan Assessment	48,793.82	\$251,338.67

*1951 RECEIPTS

Rates	200,029.08	
Miscellaneous ..	794.85	
Liens	1,065.26	
House Connections	3,386.25	\$205,275.44

UNPAID DECEMBER 31, 1951

Rates	11,943.66	
Miscellaneous ..	14.00	
Liens	120.75	\$ 12,078.41

*Includes rates committed in 1950

TABLE X

1946 STREET CONSTRUCTION

Balance brought forward	\$ 304.15
Returned to Treasury	304.15
December 31, 1951	0

ALTERATION OF GRAY STREET

Balance brought forward	\$ 83.29
Returned to Treasury	83.29
December 31, 1951 ..	0

ALTERATION OF RIVER STREET

Balance brought forward	\$ 7.18
Expenditure ..	0
Balance December 31, 1951	\$ 7.18
(Carried forward to 1952)	

WATER MAIN SUPPLY LINE TURKEY HILL

Balance brought forward	\$ 217.00
Expenditure	0
Balance December 31, 1951	\$ 217.00
(Carried forward to 1952)	

INCREASE SALARIES OR WAGES, ARTICLE 9

Expenditure	\$ 25,494.52
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INCREASE SALARIES OR WAGES, ARTICLE 10

Appropriation	\$ 2,162.55
Expenditure	2,162.55
December 31, 1951 ..	0

SPECIAL COMPENSATION FOR
TOWN OFFICERS AND EMPLOYEES

Expenditure	\$ 7,876.73
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SIDEWALKS AND EDGESTONES

Appropriation	\$ 20,000.00
Balance brought forward	2,838.54
	\$ 22,838.54
Expenditure	12,258.52
Balance, December 31, 1951 ..	\$ 10,580.02
(Carried forward to 1952)	

SIDEWALKS AND EDGESTONES
SUMMER STREET AND FOREST STREET

Balance brought forward	\$ 11,000.00
Expenditure	0
Balance, December 31, 1951 ..	\$ 11,000.00
(Carried forward to 1952)	

The members of the Board wish to take this opportunity to express their appreciation to the various Boards, Town Officials, Department Heads and Employees of the Public Works Department for their co-operation during the entire year.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS J. O'NEILL
THOMAS R. RAWSON
JOSEPH P. GREELEY

Board of Public Works

Report of the Joint Board of Selectmen and Public Works

The Forty-Eighth Annual Report of the Joint Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works for the year ending December 31, 1951, is herewith submitted in accordance with the Town's By-Laws.

At the Annual Town Election held in March, Mr. Walter T. Kenney was elected as a member of the Board of Selectmen and Mr. Joseph P. Greeley was elected a member of the Board of Public Works, both to serve for a period of three years and by virtue of their election became members of the Joint Board.

The Board organized at the first meeting held thereafter with Mr. Marcus L. Sorensen elected as Chairman and Mr. Thomas J. O'Neill as Vice-Chairman.

Regular semi-monthly meetings were held throughout the year with the exception of July and August in accordance with established policy. Special meetings were held whenever deemed advisable with a total of twenty regular and twenty-one special meetings held during the year.

Detailed departmental activities under jurisdiction of the Joint Board, being covered elsewhere in the Town Report, the following informative facts are offered to supplement such reports.

STREETS

The street construction program was continued again this year, in accordance with the policy adopted in 1950 and although fewer streets were recommended for acceptance, their number approximated substantially one half of the total number of applications received.

Following the usual hearings, as required by law, the recommendations of the Board were submitted to the Annual Town Meeting in March of 1950, where by unanimous vote the Town Meeting appropriated the sum of \$241,408.16, for the acceptance and construction of a total of thirteen streets as public ways.

The Board of Public Works subsequently undertook the entire construction of these ways with none of them being let out to private contract.

Contracts were awarded under the provisions of Chapter 90 of the General Laws for the repair and reconstruction of Broadway, from Bates Road to the Somerville line, the widening of a section of Mystic Street at Beverly Road and the resurfacing of Park Avenue, from the Concord Turnpike to Cedar Avenue. The State and County participated in these improvements with an allotment of \$20,000. from the State, the County and Town each contributing \$10,000. as their proportionate share.

Request has again been made of the State and County by the Joint Board for projects to be considered under Chapter 90 for 1952, for the following locations and allotments:

Widening of Pleasant Street from opposite Gray Street to Peabody Road	\$ 18,968.00
Bituminous concrete surfacing of Pleasant Street, from the Concord Turnpike 700' (more or less) northeasterly ..	\$ 3,300.00
Bituminous concrete surfacing of Medford Street, from Warren Street to Mystic Valley Parkway	\$ 16,095.00
Bituminous concrete surfacing of both sides of Massachusetts Avenue, from Lake Street to the Cambridge Line	\$ 28,950.00

Due to the limited time which has been hitherto allotted for the acceptance and processing of street applications, the Board adopted a new policy whereby the final date for filing street applications has been set for the first Monday preceding the second Tuesday in September. This ruling will allow the Board to devote approximately five additional weeks for the consideration of a street construction program for the following year.

SIDEWALKS AND EDGE STONES

The program constituting the installation of granolithic sidewalks and granite edgestones, under the provisions of law authorizing the assessment of betterments, has been continued as in previous years. An appropriation of \$20,000. was made at the Annual Town Meeting to further this program and the Board of Public Works has again undertaken this construction with the use of town labor.

STREET LIGHTING

The street lighting schedule was continued as in previous years and additional lighting provided where deemed necessary on public and private ways.

After several public hearings held by the Department of Public Utilities on the application of the Boston Edison Company for an increase in rates for street lighting, such increase was granted to become effective on January 1, 1952, and will substantially raise the cost for this service by \$3,400. per year.

BOARD OF SURVEY PLANS

The Board, sitting as the Board of Survey, held public hearings and approved the following streets and subdivisions, in accordance with the provisions of the General Laws:

Sawyer Road—name changed to Windmill Lane

Brattle Avenue—name changed to Woodside Lane

Change of Grade

Woodside Lane, from Station 3 + 98.48 to Station 11 + 28.07

Vista Circle, from Woodside Lane to its end

Hazel Terrace, from Woodside Lane to its end

Dickson Avenue, from Station 0 + 00 to Station 6 + 07.09

Overlook Road, from Station 0 + 00 to Station 7 + 86.48

Layouts accepted

Philemon Street, from Steep Rock Road to the Lexington Line
Pamela Drive, from Ridge Street to its end
Stony Brook Road, change of lines and abandonment of lines from a
point 376' from Hillsdale Road to Lots 18 & 19 Brantwood Road.

ITEMS OF GENERAL INTEREST

Petitions were received during the year from the Boston Edison Company, the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company and the Metropolitan Transit Authority for the removal of overhead lines, the location and relocation of poles, underground cables, conduits and manholes upon or beneath the surface of public ways of the Town. The required hearings were held when required and the Board adopted the necessary orders.

Permission was given to the Arlington Gas Light Company and the Algonquin Gas Transmission Company to install mains in the public ways for the transmission of natural gas to this area. When the final conversion is made from manufactured gas to this new medium it should result in a substantial saving to the users of this commodity.

The Board takes this opportunity to extend its appreciation for the cooperation and assistance given by other Boards, appointed committees and heads of departments and personnel under its jurisdiction throughout the year, with special commendation to its immediate staff for the loyal and efficient services rendered.

Respectfully submitted,

MARCUS L. SORENSEN
EDMUND L. FROST
WALTER T. KENNEY
THOMAS J. O'NEILL
THOMAS R. RAWSON
JOSEPH P. GREELEY

Joint Board of Selectmen
and Board of Public Works

Report of the Town Engineer

To the Honorable Joint Board of Selectmen and
Board of Public Works
Town Hall
Arlington, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The following is the annual report of the operations in the Engineering Department for the year ending December 31, 1951.

This department was taxed beyond capacity in 1951 because of the construction of thirteen newly accepted streets, the large number of sewer, water and storm drain main extensions, building applications, lien requests, several takings, benefited area, acceptance and construction plans in addition to an unusual amount of miscellaneous work.

It has been impossible to keep the records and plans of installation of underground structures up to date and we have been delayed in the levying of assessments for various projects because of lack of employees which is due primarily to the low wage scale now in force.

It was necessary for the employees of this department to work overtime in order to keep pace with plans and calculations that were absolutely necessary and that could not be delayed until some future date.

The time thus spent amounted on an average of sixty hour per week for the entire year.

Private Engineering Concerns were engaged to assist in carrying on the work and this helped materially but it is a practice that should be avoided because of the heavy expense involved.

I wish to take this opportunity to express my appreciation of the cooperation of the various Board members, Town officials and employees of the Department.

Annexed to this report is a table of general statistics pertaining to the Town and a list of public and private streets as of January 1, 1952.

Respectfully submitted,

J. M. KEANE

Town Engineer

TABLE SHOWING LOCATION, LENGTH AND WIDTH OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE STREETS

Name	Location	Width	Length		Date of Acceptance
			Public	Private	
Aberdeen Road	45 Tanager Street to 71 Dundee Road	40	416	359	March 24, 1919; March 26, 1930; April 1, 1940; March 19, 1941
Academy Street	734 Massachusetts Avenue to 40 Irving St.	40	1520		Abandoned March 22, 1944
Acton Street	21 Appleton Street to Junior High West	50	510		April 2, 1866; September 20, 1875
Adams Street	319 Massachusetts Ave. to 216 Broadway	40	928		November 2, 1866
Addison Street	106 Pleasant Street to Spy Pond	40	800		March 28, 1923
Aerial Street	169 Forest Street to 288 Washington St.	40	375	750	March 9, 1891
Abermarle Street	38 Walnut St. to 35 Mt. Vernon St.	40	392		March 25, 1931
Allen Road	97 Lake St. to Spy Pond Parkway	40	568		March 20, 1916
Allen Street	339 Massachusetts Ave. to 70 Warren St.	40	1122		March 24, 1927
Alpine Street	26 Park Ave. Ext. to 49 Huntington Rd.	40		1820	May 6, 1924
Alton Street	295 Broadway to 158 Warren St.	40	731		April 3, 1929
Amherst Street	14 River St. to Rawson Rd.	40	530		April 15, 1926
Ansden Street	107 Massachusetts Ave. to Waldo Rd.	45	950		March 25, 1915, and April 15, 1926
Andrew Street	40 Foster St. to Allen St.	40	400		March 23, 1938
Appleton Court	344 Appleton St., southerly	20		730	
Appleton Place	2 Appleton St., southerly		360	202	April 9, 1875
*Appleton Street	1192 Massachusetts Ave. to 11 Paul Revere Rd.		1450		Laid out by County Commissioners, 1892, Old Town Way, named Appleton St., November 9, 1846
Appleton Street	11 Paul Revere Rd. to 29 Wachusett Ave.	50			Laid out by County Comm. in 1915
*Appleton Street	29 Wachusett Ave. to Lexington Line	50	1868		
Argyle Road	20 Dundee Rd. to Aberdeen Road	40	4522		April 15, 1936
Arlmont Street	Spring St. to 761 Concord Highway	40	537		
Arnold Street	41 Dundee Rd. to Hibbert St.	40		2926	
Arrowhead Lane	33 Windmill Lane to Old Colony Rd.	40		723	
Arthur Road	641 Summer St. to 36 Berkeley St.	40		565	
Ashland Street	88 Appleton St. to Florence Ave.	50		236	
Atlantic Road	Kipling Rd. to Wollaston Ave.	40	532		Formerly Meadow Street
Avola Street	Ortona St. to Lexington Line	40		200	April 7, 1898
Avon Place	390 Massachusetts Ave., westerly	30		1158	
Bacon Street	14 Central St. to 11 Mill St.	30	428		November 22, 1906
Bailey Road	874 Massachusetts Ave. to Gloucester St.	50—40	906.5		March 4, 1872
					March 28, 1934

Bartlett Avenue	818 Massachusetts Ave. to Irving St.	45-40	1350	.....	November 6, 1888; March 14, 1892; June 1, 1896; November 8, 1897
Bartlett Avenue	84 Irving St. to 16 Woodland St.	40	782	.....	November 8, 1897
Bates Road	285 Massachusetts Ave. to 156 Broadway	50	1220	.....	April 1, 1940
Bay State Road	Spy Pond Pky. to East of Putnam Rd.	40	1060	.....	March 4, 1872
Beacon Street	81 Warren St. to Coral St.	40	1447	.....	March 6, 1911
Beck Road	41 Forest St., easterly	20	375	.....	April 1, 1940
Belknap Street	18 Linwood Street to Marion Rd.	40	600	.....	March 26, 1930
Belknap Place	290 Massachusetts Ave. to Belknap St.	20	270	.....	March 28, 1951
Bellevue Road	131 Spring St. to 12 Morton Road	40	765	.....	April 15, 1926
Bellington Street	821 Concord Turnpike to 84 Eastern Ave.	40	1090	.....	Formerly Park Boulevard
Belton Street	12 Alton St. to Compton St.	40	290	.....	Old Town Way named Bow Street, November 9, 1846; Decree of Superior Court, June 30, 1899; Laid out by County Comm., 1884
Benjamin Road	49 Robbins Rd., 530 feet, northwesterly	40	530	.....	September 8, 1921
Berkeley Street	18 Wright St. to 60' west of Arthur Rd.	40	542	.....	March 22, 1950
Beverly Road	289 Mystic St. to 305 Mystic St.	40	2063	.....	November 8, 1897
Blossom Street	21 Bow St. to Summit St.	40	460	.....	March 27, 1873
Bond Road	90 Highland Ave. to Valley Rd.	40	554	.....	Old Town Way named Elm Street, November 9, 1846; Laid out by County Comm., 1793
Boulevard Road	20 Massachusetts Ave. to Lafayette St.	40	700	.....	March 23, 1938
Boundary Road	63 Hibbert St. to 66 Sylvia Street	40	180	.....	April 2, 1925; March 22, 1933
*Bow Street	36 Forest St. to 95 Lowell St.	40	1030	.....
Bowdoin Street	24' River St. to Rawson Rd.	40	530	.....
Bradley Road	103 Columbia Rd. to Morningside Dr.	40	350	.....
Branch Avenue	50 Park Ave. Ext. to Alpine St.	40	340	.....
†Brand Street	261 Forrest St. to Edmund Rd.	40	1520	.....
Branswood Road	22 Kensington Park to Jason Street	40	1730	.....
†Brattle Avenue	192 Brattle St., east and west	40	730	.....
Brattle Court	26 Brattle St. to Metropolitan Pumping Sta- tion	40	186	.....
Brattle Lane	325 Summer St. to Pine St.	22	700	.....
Brattle Place	75 Brattle St. to B. & L. R. R.	40	685	.....
Brattle Street	1043 Massachusetts Ave. to Brattle Ave.	20	1810	.....
Brattle Terrace	49 W. Washington St., easterly	40	1360	.....
Brewster Road	30 Pilgrim Rd. to Belmont Line	40	390	.....
*Broadway	421 Massachusetts Ave. to Somerville Line	64	682	.....
Brookdale Road	21 Summer St. to 156 Mystic St.	40	5400	.....
Brooks Avenue	123 Varnum St. to Elmhurst Rd.	40	390	.....
†Browning Road	Kipling Rd. to Wadsworth Rd.	40	2179	.....
Brunswick Road	255 Pleasant St. to 62 Hillside Rd.	40	1540	
Buckman Court	602 Massachusetts Ave., southerly	20	765	
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TABLE SHOWING LOCATION, LENGTH AND WIDTH OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE STREETS — Continued

Name	Location	Width	Length		Date of Acceptance
			Public	Private	
Buena Vista Road	354 Gray St. to Cedar Ave	40	279	771	March 29, 1939
Burch Street	96 Lake St., southerly	40	1136		March 28, 1934; March 28, 1951
Burton Street	1166 Massachusetts Ave. to Appleton Pl	40	370		April 1, 1940
Cabot Road	155 Lake St. to 32 Eliot Rd	65		185	
†Campbell Road	Wollaston Ave. to Dow Ave	40		356	
Candia Street	144 Washington St. to Gorham St.	40		483	
Carl Road	90 Edmund Rd., 427.76 feet northwesterly	40		427	
†Carlton Road	73 Forest St., southerly	40		1600	
Cedar Avenue	108 Oakland Ave. to Belmont Line	40 & 50	1295	1753	March 22, 1950
†Cemetery Street	Hemlock Street, westerly	40		290	
†Central Street	25 Chestnut St., northerly	40	450		March 15, 1894
Central Street	Lantern Lane to Ridge St.	40		1387	
Chandler Street	725 Massachusetts Ave. to B. & N. R. R.	30	556		March 7, 1870
Chapman Street	188 Massachusetts Ave. to Brooks Ave	40	1564		March 28, 1928; March 27, 1935
Charles Street	170 Pleasant Street to Spy Pond	40	208		December 7, 1896
Charlton Street	53 Pine St., northerly	40		347	
†Charlton Street	208 Florence Ave., to Concord Turnpike	40		2100	
Chatham Street	207 Florence Ave. to near Dow Ave.	40		806	
Chatham Street	200 Washington St. to Pleasant Ave	40		648	
Chester Street	370 Park Ave. to 114 Eastern Ave	40	1062		April 1, 1940; March 28, 1951
*Chestnut Street	38 Medford St. to 41 Mystic St	50	500		Old Town Way named Mystic Street, November 9, 1846; Laid out by County Comm., 1899
Cheewick Road	15 Eliot Rd. to 25 Bay State Rd	40		650	
Cheviot Road	16 Intervale Rd. to 44 Robin Hood Rd	40		367	
Church Street	731 Massachusetts Ave. to Bacon St.	25		150	
Churchill Avenue	860 Massachusetts Ave. to Valley Rd.	50	1620	743	March 28, 1928
Claremont Avenue	38 Wollaston Ave. to 175 Oakland Ave	60	2171		September 23, 1878
Claremont Court	72 Claremont Ave., easterly	25—40		150	
†Clark Street	1211 Mass. Ave. to North of 30 Pierce St.	40		457	
Cleveland Street	175 Massachusetts Ave. to 64 Broadway	45			April 15, 1898
Cliff Street	46 Florence Ave. to Oakland Ave	50	1608		November 8, 1897
Colby Road	179 Scituate St. to Hillcrest St.	40	1441		
Coleman Road	950 Massachusetts Ave. to Moulton Rd	40	530		March 26, 1930
College Avenue	344 Mystic St. to near Crosby St	40		823	
Colonial Drive	186 Lake St. to 22 Putnam Rd	40		1414	
Columbia Road	216 Mystic St. to Upland Rd. West	40	692	973	October 17, 1949
Columbia Road	26 Upland Road West to 14 Frost St	40	509	801	Formerly Higfield Road, March 13, 1946

Compton Street.....	27 Medford St. to 28 Alton St.....	40	231	.....	April 2, 1925; March 26, 1930
Concord Turnpike.....	Cambridge Line to Cambridge Line.....	100	2085	.....	State Highway
Coolidge Road.....	Cambridge-Belmont Line to Lexington Line.....	50&100	14441	.....	Formerly Dennet Road
Coral Street.....	246 Gray St., 1315 feet southeasterly.....	40	.....	.....	Metropolitan District Commission
Corey Lane.....	34 Park St. to Beacon St.....	30	.....	.....	March 31, 1927
Cornell Street.....	364 Appleton St., southerly.....	40	530	.....	Portion formerly Middle Street
Cottage Avenue.....	38 River St. to Rawson Rd.....	40	.....	.....	November 5, 1867
Country Club Drive.....	45 Henderson St., easterly.....	30	.....	.....	December 1, 1902
Court Street.....	19 Fox Meadow Lane to Winchester Line.....	40&50	620	.....	March 22, 1950
Court Street Place.....	23 Court St., northerly.....	20—45	.....	.....	March 29, 1939
Crawford Street.....	11 Gorham St. to 80 Charles St.....	20	1144	.....	Formerly Mill Street; March 28, 1951
Crescent Hill Ave.....	Park Place St. to Lexington Line.....	40	.....	.....	Formerly Buckman Street
Crosby Street.....	41 Ridge St. to Falmouth Road West.....	40	607	.....	April 11, 1922
Crosby Street.....	77 Falmouth Rd. W. to 46 Old Mystic St.....	50	.....	.....	March 31, 1927
Cutter Hill Road.....	71 Teel St. to 76 Henderson St.....	40	.....	.....	March 26, 1914
Cypress Road.....	77 Summer St. to Ridge St.....	50	397	.....	March 6, 1871
Damon Park.....	154 Park Ave. Ext. to Wright St.....	40	.....	.....	December 7, 1896
Daniels Street.....	122 Warren St. to 12 Webster St.....	40	408	.....	March 28, 1923
Dartmouth Street.....	1262 Mass. Ave. to 75 Appleton St.....	40	438	.....	March 29, 1939
Davis Avenue.....	48 River St. to Rawson Rd.....	40	530	.....	March 26, 1930
Davis Road.....	241 Mystic St. to Mystic Bank.....	40	812	.....	Formerly Dover Street
Day Street.....	1300 Massachusetts Ave. to Paul Revere Rd.....	40	.....	.....	March 14, 1892
Dedatur Street.....	25 Rhinecliff St., westerly.....	40	406	.....	April 20, 1874
Dedatur Street.....	94 River St. to North Union St.....	35—40	988	.....	April 15, 1936
Devereaux Street.....	145 North Union St., easterly.....	35	.....	.....	March 27, 1935
Devereaux St. Ext.....	6 Chapman Street, southerly.....	40	293	.....	November 27, 1875
Dickson Avenue.....	Devereaux St., southwesterly.....	40	290	.....	March 28, 1951
Dodge Street.....	171 Overlook Rd. to Wheeler Lane.....	40	786	.....	April 15, 1936
Dorothy Road.....	1330 Forest St., easterly.....	40	1580	.....
Dorothy Road.....	45 Margaret St. to west of Parker St.....	40	687	.....
Dow Avenue.....	54 Wright St. to Winchester Line.....	40	.....	.....
Dow Avenue.....	306 Appleton St. to Rhinecliff Street.....	50	1000	.....
Dracon Street.....	35 Rhinecliff St. to Wollaston Ave.....	40—50	.....	.....
Drapier Avenue.....	Dorhan St. to Reed St.....	40	730	.....
Dudley Street.....	259 Mystic St. to Mystic Bank.....	40	1370	.....
Dudley Street Place.....	50 Grove St. to 29 Brattle St.....	40	.....	.....
Dundee Road.....	52 Dudley St., southerly.....	20	673	.....
Dunster Lane.....	1458 Massachusetts Ave. to Selkirk Rd.....	40	100	.....
Eastern Avenue.....	344 Forest St., northerly.....	40	2040	.....
Edgchill Road.....	60 Park Circle to 245 Highland Ave.....	50	.....	.....
Edith Street.....	61 Summer St. to 16 Ridge St.....	40	1429	.....
Edmund Road.....	79 Margaret St. to Parker St.....	40	275	
	147 Forest St., to Washington St.....	40	492	

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Name	Location	Width	Length		Date of Acceptance
			Public	Private	
Egerton Road	164 Massachusetts Ave. to Brooks Ave	40	1391		March 20, 1916; March 28, 1928; March 22, 1933
Elder Terrace	197 Lowell St., easterly	25—40		300	
Elliot Park	57 Elliot Rd., easterly	134		1020	
Elliot Road	3 Colonial Drive to 2 Putnam Road	50		800	Includes Barnes Lane
Elmhurst Road	264 Massachusetts Ave. to Brooks Ave	40			April 14, 1896
Elmore Street	20 Ashland St. to Wollaston Ave	40	500	450	Formerly Chestnut Street
Emily Road	265 Appleton St. to Oakland Ave	40		400	Formerly Walnut Avenue
Emerson Road	36 Glen Ave. to 52 Davis Ave	40			March 31, 1887
Endicott Road	65 Churchill Ave. to 141 Gray St	50	665		
Epping Street	9 Chatham St., southeasterly	40		583	
Ernest Road	136 Everett St. to 19 River St.	40		469	
Ernst Street	18 Glenburn Rd., northeasterly to 98 East- ern Ave	40	950		March 22, 1950
Everett Street	251 Massachusetts Ave. to 126 Broadway	40	1350		March 26, 1914
Everett Street	125 Broadway to Ernest Road	40		600	
Exeter Street	52 Park St. to Beacon St	40		250	
Exeter Street	64 River St. to 55 Park St	40	722		March 31, 1927; March 26, 1930
Fabyan Street	14 Epping St. to Pleasant Ave	40		494	
Fairbank Road	Dow Ave. to Virginia Rd	40		392	
Fairbank Street	60 Massachusetts Ave. to B. & L. R. R.	40	1650		March 26, 1917; March 27, 1935
Fairview Avenue	281 Mystic St. to Mystic Lake	40		900	
Falmouth Road	354 Mystic St. to Langley Rd	40	950		March 20, 1916
Falmouth Road West	190 Crosby St. to Columbia Rd	40	480		April 3, 1929
Farmer Road	50 Quincy St. to 37 Robbins Road	40		385	
Farrington Street	173 Mystic St. to Rangleley Rd	40		320	
Fayette Street	70 Glenburn Rd., 68 Eastern Ave	40	736		March 29, 1939; March 19, 1941
Fessenden Road	1136 Massachusetts Ave., southerly	20		414	
Field Road	68 Wildwood Ave. to Gloucester St	40	335		March 25, 1931
Finley Street	Carleton Rd. to Brand St	40		500	March 29, 1939; April 1, 1940
Fisher Road	43 Fiske St. to 30 Hillcrest St	40	970		March 12, 1883; March 20, 1916
Florence Avenue	108 Appleton St. to west of Rhinecliff St.	50	3829		April 3, 1929; March 28, 1951
Florence Terrace	50 Florence Ave. to Linden St	12		387	March 31, 1927
Fordham Street	76 River St. to Rawson Rd	40	530		Old Town Way named Forest Street, November 9, 1846; Laid out by County Comm., 1884
*Forest Street	1173 Massachusetts Ave. to Winchester Line	40	4980		Decree of Superior Court, June 20, 1899; Laid out by County Comm., 1884
*Forest Street Place	65 Forest Street to Mill Lane	33	640		
Foster Street	305 Massachusetts Ave. to 200 Broadway	40	1053		May 6, 1924

Fountain Road	336 Gray St. to 12 Hawthorne Ave.	40	852	298	April 3, 1929
†Fox Meadow Lane	9 Old Middlesex Path to Ridge Street	40	1100	450	
Franklin Avenue	183 Madison Avenue to Summer St.	40	2430	845	May 1, 1876; April 3, 1929
Franklin Street	397 Massachusetts Ave. to Parallel St.	40	1027	560	March 25, 1915, and April 15, 1926
Freeman Street	19 Lake St. to Elmhurst Rd.	40	708	282	March 21, 1949
Fremont Street	40 Freeman St. northeasterly	40&25	875	490	March 29, 1939
Fremont Court	43 No. Union St. to Sunnyside Ave.	40	1205	945	March 28, 1928; March 22, 1950
Frost Street	214 Crosby St. to Morningside Drive	40	2214	375	March 22, 1950
Garden Street	79 Mystic St., easterly and southerly	40	503	200	formerly Dover Place
Gardner Street	67 Broadway to Decatur St.	40	1353	465	April 15, 1936
Gay Street	80 Brand St., easterly	40	688	596	March 19, 1941
George Street	203 Florence Ave. to Concord Turnpike	40	380	785	April 11, 1922
George Street	38 Rhineland St. to Florence Ave.	25	500	559	March 28, 1934
Glen Avenue	187 Mystic St. to Emerson Rd.	40	1411	1832	March 28, 1923
Glenburn Road	370 Park Ave. to Hillcrest St.	40	6361	365	March 26, 1914; March 20, 1916
Gloucester Street	35 Mt. Vernon St. to 48 Highland Ave.	40	1460	490	March 10, 1885; November 8, 1887; March 31, 1927
Gloucester Street	48 Highland Ave. to Bailey Rd.	40	701	404	March 2, 1925; March 26, 1930; March 29, 1939
Gloucester Street	Bailey Rd. to Churchill Ave.	40	431.5	690	March 26, 1914; March 24, 1920
Golden Avenue	5 Kent Lane to Lexington Line	40	674	1476	March 28, 1951
Gorham Street	180 Washington St. to Cardia St.	40	550	285	March 6, 1911
Gould Road	194 Pleasant St. to Shore Rd.	40	826	610	April 3, 1929
Governor Road	76 Hemlock St., westerly	40	1000	588	March 16, 1908; April 3, 1929
Grafton Street	245 Massachusetts Ave. to 108 Broadway	40	80	488	November 2, 1886; March 9, 1891
Grand View Road	286 Gray Street to 95 Eastern Ave.	40			
Gray Circle	366 Gray St., southwesterly	40			
Gray Street	159 Pleasant St. to 72 Oakland Ave.	40&50			
Greenwood Road	431 Winchester Rd., northerly to Ridge St.	40			
Grove Street	929 Massachusetts Ave. to 190 Summer St.	40			
Grove Street Place	67 Grove St., westerly	30			
Hamlet Street	135 Medford St. to 90 Beacon St.	40			
Hancock Street	258 Forest Street to 79 Wright St.	40			
Harlow Street	259 Massachusetts Ave. to 140 Broadway	40			
Hartford Road	619 Summer St. to Berkeley St.	40			
Hartford Road	78 Winchester Rd. to 21 Hodge Rd.	40			
Harvard Street	80 Appleton St., southerly	50			
Hawthorne Avenue	69 Coolidge Rd. to 246 Park Ave.	40			
Hayes Street	168 Medford St. to Mystic Valley Pky	40			
Hazel Terrace	57 Woodside Lane, easterly	40			
Heard Road	251 Forest St. to Wright St.	40			
†Heath Road	77 Broadway to Norcross St.	40			
Hemlock Street	90 Brattle St. to 200 ft. north of Governor Rd.	50&40			
Henderson Street	51 Massachusetts Ave. to Cross St.	40			
Henderson Street	Cross St. to Alewife Brook Parkway	40			

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Name	Location	Width	Length		Date of Acceptance
			Public	Private	
†Henry Street	13 Wright St. to Winchester Line	40	550	March 25, 1931; March 29, 1939
Herbert Road	26 Lake St. to Lafayette St.	40	2100	.....	April 15, 1936
†Hibbert Street	Lexington Line to Rublee St.	40	1102	220	March 26, 1930
†Hibbert Street	96 Rublee St. to Richmond St.	40	.....	180	
†Higgins Street	16 Quincy St. to Robbins Rd.	40	380	.....
†High Street	Appleton St., southerly	30	.....	25	
High Hath Road	126 Highland Ave. to 231 Spring St.	40	1246	120	April 3, 1929; March 22, 1950
Highland Avenue	231 Spring St. to 715 Concord Turnpike ..	40	.....	634	
Highland Avenue	230 Mass. Ave. to 729 Concord Turnpike ..	50	3180	631	March 7, 1872
Highland Court	917 Mass. Ave. northeasterly	30	.....	275	
Hill Avenue	Park Place to Park Ave. Ext.	40	.....	500	
Hillcrest Street	40 Eastern Ave. to Arlmont St.	40	.....	861	
Hillside Road	148 Jason St. to 57 Spring St.	40	1200	.....	March 13, 1946
†Hillsdale Road	57 Spring St. to Concord Turnpike	50	.....	100	August 4, 1884; March 20, 1939; March 19, 1941
Hillside Avenue	37 Wollaston Ave. to Charlton St.	50	3875	535	March 22, 1950
Hilton Street	12 Gardner St. to Heath Rd.	40	320	123	
Hobbs Court	1111 Massachusetts Ave., northerly to B. & L. R.	25	.....	700	
Hodge Road	Upland Rd. west to Morningside Drive ..	40	.....	1776	
†Homestead Road	424 Appleton St. to Wadsworth Rd.	40	.....	1075	
Hopkins Road	134 Lake St. to 58 Mary St.	40	200	.....	March 29, 1939
†Hopkins Road	114 Pleasant St., southerly	40&50	629	.....	March 26, 1917
Hospital Road	Spy Pond, northerly	50	.....	121	April 9, 1929
Howard Street	214 Summer St. to Symmes Hospital	40	510	1200	March 19, 1941; Abandoned March 22, 1944; March 22, 1950
Huntington Road	36 Quinev St. to Robbins Rd.	40	368	582	Old Town Way named Oak Street, November 9, 1846; Laid out by County Comm., 1912.
†Hutchinson Road	201 Forest St. to Wright St.	40	2995	.....
Indian Hill Road	64 Old Mystic St. to Winchester Line	40	.....	874	
Intervale Road	West of Brewster Rd. to 34 Standish Rd.	40	.....	523	
Intervale Rd. Ext.	10 Robin Hood Rd. to Lake Shore Drive ..	40	.....	100	
Inverness Road	10 Robin Hood Rd., northerly	40	430	.....	March 26, 1930
Inverness Road	55 Aberdeen Rd., southerly	40	.....	200	Formerly First Street
Irving Street	1 Peck Ave., northerly	40	430	445	March 26, 1930
Ivy Circle	9 Bonad Road to Ottawa Rd.	40	1270	403	September 20, 1875; November 8, 1897; November 15, 1898; November 18, 1901
Jackson Street	139 Pleasant St. to Churchill Ave.	40	.....	325	
†James Street	15 Joyce Rd., southerly	40	.....	338	
Jason Court	15 Fabian St., southeasterly	40	.....	910	
Jason Street	Thesda St. to Winchester Line	40	.....	170	
Jason Street	23 Jason St., northwesterly .....	.....	2770	.....	November 4, 1884; March 2, 1885; March 13, 1893; July 1, 1895
Jason Street	754 Massachusetts Ave. to Brantwood Rd.	40—50	.....	.....

Jason Street	Brantwood Rd. to 31 Spring St.	40	1090	220	April 1, 1940
Jason Terrace	11 Jason St., westerly	30	.....	190	.....
Jefferson Avenue	Franklin Ave. to Lexington Line	40	.....	80	.....
Jean Road	115 Medford St. to Franklin St.	40	410	.....	March 26, 1930
Johnson Road	10 Brookdale Rd. to 10 Edgchill Rd.	40	577	90	March 22, 1950
Joyce Road	25 Oak Hill Drive to Saratoga Rd.	40	.....	776	.....
Keats Road	Homer Rd. to Shelley Rd.	40	.....	200	.....
Kenilworth Road	300 Gray St. to Hawthorne Ave.	40	.....	1171	.....
Kensington Park	191 Pleasant St. to 23 Norfolk Rd.	40	1486	.....	November 8, 1897; March 27, 1935
Kensington Road	30 Kensington Park to Brantwood Rd.	40	850	.....	November 8, 1897
Kent Lane	1296 Concord Turnpike, southerly	40	.....	214	.....
Kilsyth Road	84 Selkirk Rd. to Inverness Rd.	40	632	.....	March 31, 1937
Kimball Road	215 Mystic St. to Emerson Rd.	40	668	.....	April 11, 1932
King Street	367 Summer St., northerly	40	.....	260	.....
Kipling Road	368 Appleton St. to Wadsworth Rd.	40	.....	1385	.....
Lafayette Street	36 Massachusetts Ave., southerly	40	692	978	March 28, 1928. A portion formerly Park Boulevard
Lakehill Avenue	81 Lake St., northwesterly	40	631	.....	May 6, 1924
Lake Shore Drive	51 Robin Hood Rd., east and west	40	.....	606	.....
*Lake Street	200 Massachusetts Ave. to Cross St., Belmont Line.	50	5000	.....	Old Town Way named Pond Street, November 9, 1846; Laid out by County Comm., 1859
Lakeview	132 Pleasant St., easterly	40	498	.....	November 15, 1898
Lanark Road	17 Kilsyth Rd. to Peck Ave.	40	409	.....	March 31, 1937
Lancaster Road	1512 Massachusetts Avenue, southerly	40	.....	1835	.....
Langley Road	19 Upland Rd. to Falmouth Rd.	40	584	.....	March 20, 1916
Langley Road Ext.	20 Upland Rd. to Stowcroft Rd.	40	.....	911	.....
Lansdowne Lane	51 Hemlock St., northerly	40	.....	754	.....
Lantern Lane	144 Hutchinson Rd. to Ridge St.	40	.....	1358	.....
Laurel Street	12 Brattle St., westerly	40	410	.....	Portion formerly South Street
Lee Terrace	99 Massachusetts Ave., northeasterly	20	.....	450	March 22, 1950
Lehigh Street	95 Quincy St., northwesterly	50	.....	230	Portion formerly Harvard Street
Lennon Road	44 Bow St., northerly	40	402	98	March 31, 1937
Lennon Road Ext.	508 Summer St., southwesterly	40	.....	687	.....
Lewis Avenue	83 Bedford St., to Franklin St.	40	720	.....	May 1, 1876
Lincoln Street	76 Gray St. to Woodland St.	40	370	.....	March 25, 1915
Lincoln Street	30 Woodland St., 104 ft. southwesterly	40	.....	104	.....
Linden Street	210 Park Ave. to Cliff St.	50	820	.....	November 8, 1897
Lindwood Street	300 Massachusetts Ave. to Spy Pond	40	660	.....	November 11, 1850; April 20, 1874
Littlejohn Street	154 Lake St. to south of Mott St.	40	423	.....	March 13, 1946
Locke Street	21 Lowell St. to south of Peirce St.	40	.....	410	.....
Locke Street	11 Henry St. to Winchester Line	40	.....	400	.....
Lombard Avenue	850 Massachusetts Ave. to 156 Gray St.	50	1430	March 25, 1931; April 15, 1936
Lombard Road	66 Pleasant St. to Lombard Terrace	40	430	November 22, 1910

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Name	Location	Width	Length		Date of Acceptance
			Public	Private	
Lombard Terrace	20 Wellington St. to B. & L. R. R.	40	814	November 22, 1910
Longfellow Road	75 High Haith Rd. to 177 Mt. Vernon	40	540	636	Formerly Hawthorne Ave.; March 22, 1950
Longmeadow Road	23 Old Middlesex Path to Ridge St.	40	.....	800	
Lorne Road	44 Sutherland Rd. southeasterly	40	.....	300	
Lovell Road	32 Bradley Rd. to Easterly of Melvin Rd.	40	.....	450	
*Lowell Street	1218 Mass. Ave. to Lexington Line	50	3876	.....	Old Town Way, named Lowell Street, November 9, 1846; Laid out by County Comm., 1792
Lowell Street Place	128 Lowell St. to B. & L. R. R.	40	.....	300	
Lublin Street	431 Appleton St., northwesterly	40	.....	314	
Madison Avenue	Park Place to Lexington Line	40	.....	1600	
Magnolia Street	108 Massachusetts Ave. to B. & L. R. R.	40	1045	655	March 6, 1911
Maivert Street	531 Appleton St. to Lexington Line	40	.....	300	
Maple Street	71 Pleasant St. to Academy St.	40	670	.....	April 20, 1874
Marathon Street	155 Massachusetts Ave. to 52 Broadway	45	1730	.....	April 15, 1898
Margaret Street	82 Lake St. to Thorndike St.	40	1127	952	March 22, 1933
Marion Circle	41 Marion Road, westerly	208	.....	208	
Marion Road	286 Massachusetts Ave. to B&M R.R.	40	270	470	March 6, 1911
Marligan Street	51 Silk St. to Sunnyside Ave.	40	.....	359	
Martin Street	68 Charles St. to 59 Crawford St.	40	.....	420	
Mary Street	11 Margaret St. to Littlejohn St.	40	1239	.....	March 27, 1935; April 1, 1940
*Mary Street	Littlejohn St. to south of Wilson Ave.	40	.....	820	
*Massachusetts Ave.	Cambridge Line to Lexington Line	60—98	18310	.....	Old Town Way named Main Street, November 9, 1846; Laid out by County Comm., 1804
Maybie Street	Carleton Rd. to Dodge St.	40	.....	425	
Mayflower Road	11 Brewster Rd. to 12 Standish Rd.	40	.....	631	
Maynard Street	160 Medford St. to Mystic Valley Pky	40	989	.....	March 31, 1927; March 28, 1928
*Medford Street	451 Massachusetts Ave. to Medford Line	.....	3180	.....	Old Town Way named Medford Street, November 9, 1846; Laid out by County Comm., 1695
Melrose Street	152 Massachusetts Ave. to Brooks Ave.	40	1427	.....	March 25, 1915; March 28, 1928; March 22, 1933
Melvin Road	Morningside Drive to 248 ft. south of Winchester Rd.	40	.....	982	
Menotomy Road	1040 Massachusetts Ave. to Gray St.	40	1360	.....	April 3, 1929
Menotomy Way	47 Menotomy Rd. to 48 School St.	6	260	.....	April 9, 1930
Michael Street	35 Gardner St. to Silk St.	40	425	320	
Mill Lane	25 Lowell St. to Forest St. Place	25	.....	.....	Public Way decreed by Land Court in 1917
Mill Street	781 Massachusetts Ave. to Summer St.	50	860	.....	June 11, 1872, also Old Town Way
Millett Street	33 Lansdowne Rd. to Rockland Ave.	40	.....	254	
*Milllett Street Ext.	19 Rockland Avenue to Symmes Hospital	40	.....	260	

Milton Street	138 Massachusetts Ave. to Brooks Ave.	40	1501	March 25, 1915; March 28, 1928; March 22, 1933
Modena Street	439 Appleton St. to Sylvia St.	40	190	November 2, 1886
Monadnock Road	175 Pleasant St., northeasterly	40	400	
Montague Street	179 Westminster Ave. to Crescent Hill Ave.	40	390	
Montrose Avenue	79 Crescent Hill Ave. to Orient Ave.	40	640	
Moore Place	78 Richfield Rd. to Cutter Hill Rd.	40	421	
Morningside Drive	418 Massachusetts Ave. to B. & L. R. R.	25	350	
Morris Street	50 Hutchinson Rd., southwesterly	40	2034	
Morton Road	83 Alpine St. to Park Ave. Extension	40	230	
Mott Street	69 Spring St., northeasterly	40	500	March 28, 1951
Mouton Road	15 Parker St. to Wilson Ave.	40	586	March 26, 1930
Mountain Avenue	132 Wildwood Ave. to 28 Mt. Vernon St.	40	778	
Mountain Avenue	156 Overlook Rd., east and west	40	1054	
Mountain Avenue	291 Washington St., southeasterly 500 ft.	40	500	April 7, 1873; April 3, 1929
Mt. Vernon Street	966 Massachusetts Ave. to Longfellow Rd.	40	223	Formerly Orient Avenue
Murray Street	75 Coolidge Rd. to Puritan Rd.	40	560	March 31, 1927; April 3, 1929
Mystic Bank	52 Davis Ave. to Fairview Ave.	40	650	June 4, 1836; September 3, 1873; Old
Mystic Lake Drive	79 Webrowet Rd. to Mystic Valley Pky	40	8150	Town, Way called Mystic, November 9, 1846; Laid out by County Comm., 1695
*Mystic Street	493 Massachusetts Ave. to Winchester Line	50—60		
Mystic Valley Pky	Somerville Line to Medford St., Metropolitan		4100	
Mystic Valley Pky	Park Commission Boulevard		3600	
Mystic View Ter.	347 Mystic St. to 355 Mystic St.	20	875	March 20, 1916
Newcomb Street	90 Lake St. to Elmhurst Rd.	40	1896	March 28, 1928; March 29, 1939
Newland Road	80 Bow St. to 192 Forest St.	40	617	April 3, 1929
Newman Way	824 Mass. Ave. to Wildwood Ave.	40	1944	March 31, 1927; April 3, 1929
Newport Street	89 Gloucester St. to Longfellow Rd.	40	1030	Formerly Gaylord Street; April 1, 1940
Newton Road	38 Longfellow Rd. to 737 Concord Turnpike	40	395	April 2, 1925
Nicod Street	14 Parallel St. to Hamlet Street	40	1050	
Norfolk Street	78 Williams St. to Appleton St.	40	770	Originally called Cross Street
Norfolk Street	47 North Union St. to Gardner St.	30	1101	March 6, 1911; March 25, 1912
North Street	183 Pleasant St. to 96 Jason St.	40	1920	
North Street	Winchester Line to Ridge St.	40	773	
Nourse Street	101 Broadway to Decatur St.	40	360	March 6, 1871
Oak Hill Drive	152 Lowell St., southerly	40	1631	March 28, 1951
Oak Knoll	175 Summer St. to Ridge St.	40	359	April 3, 1929
Oakland Avenue	50 Appleton St. to Claremont Ave.	50	2760	April 14, 1896; September 23, 1878
Oakland Avenue	123 Claremont Ave. to Belmont Line	50	1524	
Oakledge Street	92 Bow St. to Park Ave. Extension	40	319	
Old Colony Road	Ridge St. to Windmill Lane	40	1518	March 28, 1951
Oldham Road	128 Hutchinson Road to Ridge St.	60&40	1250	

TABLE SHOWING LOCATION, LENGTH AND WIDTH OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE STREETS — Continued

Name	Location	Width	Length		Date of Acceptance
			Public	Private	
Old Middlesex Path	6 Oldham Rd., to Ridge St.	40	2500	500	Old Town Way named Old Mystic Street, November 9, 1846; Laid out by County Comm., 1896
*Old Mystic Street	370 Mystic St. to 436 Mystic St.	40	344	2000	April 15, 1926
Orchard Place	1020 Massachusetts Ave., southerly	25		408	March 25, 1915
Orchard Terrace	132 Medford St. to Webber Rd.	40		140	Formerly Eleanor Road, March 13, 1946
Orient Avenue	Lexington Line to Summit St.	40		920	April 15, 1936
Orlando Avenue	92 Richfield Rd. to Montrose Ave.	40		275	May 6, 1924; March 28, 1928; March 22, 1950
Ortona Street	369 Appleton St. to Piedmont St.	100		645	March 25, 1918; March 24, 1920
Orvis Circle	142 Brooks Ave. to B. & L. R. R.	80		1944	March 14, 1892; November 22, 1906; March 31, 1927
Orvis Road	244 Massachusetts Ave. to Brooks Ave.	40			March 29, 1939
Osborne Road	31 Margaret St. to 30 Birch St.	40			June 29, 1875; Laid out by County Comm., 1875
Oxford Road	186 Highland Ave. to High Haith Rd.	40			March 26, 1917; May 6, 1924; March 23, 1938
Overlook Road	431 Summer St. to Ridge St.	50—40			March 30, 1903
Oxford Street	223 Massachusetts Ave. to 100 Broadway	40	1453		March 4, 1872
Palmer Street	361 Massachusetts Ave. to Mystic Valley Parkway	40	2636		March 31, 1937
Pamela Drive	94 Ridge St. southerly	40		390	
Parabel Street	181 Franklin St. to 168 Medford St.	40	410		
*Park Avenue	118 Lowell St. to 867 Concord Turnpike	80—50	5920		
Park Avenue Ext.	118 Lowell St. to 215 Forest St.	40	2470		
Park Circle	280 Park Ave. to Park Ave.	40	1050		
1 Park Place	2 Madison Ave. to 93 Westminster Ave.	40	1518		
Park Street	63 Warren St. to Coral St.	40		125	
Park Street	48 Park St. westerly	30		300	
Park Terrace	15 Mystic St., easterly	10		282	
Parker Road	Innervale Rd. Ext. northerly	40		499	
Parker Street	40 Mary St. to Edith St.	40	401	65	
Patricia Terrace	42 Reed St., westerly		2050		
*Paul Revere Road	52 Appleton St. to 1456 Massachusetts Ave.	50			March 31, 1937
Peabody Road	126 Pleasant St., southeasterly	40		529	November 10, 1877, also Old Town Way formerly Vine Street, named Paul Revere Road, Nov. 7, 1901; Laid out by County Comm., 1877
Pearl Street	10 Thomas St. to Hancock St.	40		718	
Peck Avenue	137 Wollaston Ave., westerly	40		600	
Peirce Street	23 Forest St. to Locke St.	40	680		
Perkins Street	77 Grandview Rd. to 70 Cedar Ave.	40		470	
Pelham Terrace	101 Pleasant St., westerly	40	345		
Perth Road	110 Selkirk Rd. to Third St.	40		200	April 15, 1926
					Old Town Way, named Summer set Place, November 9, 1846

Peter Tufts Road	27 Edmund Rd. to Overlook Rd.	40	561	.....	April 15, 1936
Pheasant Avenue	120 Ronald Rd. to Overlook Rd.	40	.....	500	
Pheasant Avenue	47 Chatham St., north and south	40	.....	713	
†Pheasant Avenue	263 Washington St., southeasterly 250 ft.	40	.....	250	
†Philemon Street	James St. to Lexington Line	40	.....	750	
Philips Street	67 Beacon St. to 119 Franklin St.	40	285	335	Formerly Exeter Street, March 28, 1934
Piedmont Street	163 Wollaston Ave. to Sylvia St.	40	.....	1039	
Pilgrim Road	6 Standish Rd. to west of Brewster Rd.	40	.....	789	
Pine Avenue	12 Pine St., southerly	20	.....	210	
Pine Court	1146 Massachusetts Ave., southwesterly	20	.....	403	
Pine Ridge Road	268 Gray St. to 40 Hawthorne Ave.	40	.....	552	April 3, 1929
Pine Street	14 Hemlock St. to Brattle Lane	40	619	.....	1875
Pioneer Road	38 Bay State Rd. to Spy Pond Parkway	40	740	.....
*Pleasant Street	926 Massachusetts Ave. to 357 Concord Turnpike	65	4820	190	Old Town Way, named Pleasant Street, November 9, 1846; Laid out by County Comm., 1763
		
Pleasant View Road	21 Hillsdale Rd. to 31 Spring St.	40	.....	1000	April 3, 1929
Plymouth Street	30 Highland Ave. to Lockland Ave.	40	333	.....	November 11, 1850
Pond Lane	378 Mass. Ave. to B. & L. R.	30	700	490	
Pond Lane	B. & L. R. R. to Boat Club House	20-30	.....	160	
Pond Terrace	46 Pond Lane, westerly	30	.....	567	April 15, 1926
Pondview Road	115 Lake St. to Princeton Rd.	40	.....	225	March 14, 1892
Prentiss Road	965 Massachusetts Ave., northerly	40	591	1340	
Prescott Street	14 Russell St. to Winslow St.	40	.....	340	August 4, 1884
Princeton Road	42 Alfred Rd. to 9 Cheswick Rd.	40	300	650	Formerly Irwin Road
†Proprietors Way	351 Summer St., northerly	40	.....	.....	April 4, 1931; formerly Bowen Street
Prospect Ave.	281 Park Ave. to 190 Wachusett Ave.	40	.....	.....	March 23, 1938; formerly Bowen Street
Puritan Road	90 Spring Ave. to 90 ft. south of Hawthorne Ave.	50	.....	.....	March 22, 1950
Putnam Road	36 Elliot Rd. to 65 Bay State Rd.	40	.....	675	March 20, 1916; March 24, 1920
Quincy Street	11114 Massachusetts Ave. to Benjamin Rd.	40	.....	644	
Quincy Street	31 Benjamin Rd. to 341 Gray St.	50	1100	.....	March 20, 1916
Raddcliffe Road	22 Victoria Rd. to 23 Edgehill Rd.	50	400	.....	March 31, 1927
Railroad Avenue	941 Mass. Ave. to R. R.	40	319	100	March 6, 1893
Raleigh St.	52 Oxford St. to Tufts St.	40	.....	230	April 15, 1926
Ramsdell Court	791 Massachusetts Ave., northerly	40	633	482	
Randolph Street	25 Lake St. to Elmhurst Rd.	17	.....	200	
Rangleey Road	151 Mystic St. to Glen Ave.	40	940	.....	March 20, 1916
Ravine Street	43 Irving St. to 33 Gray St.	40	602	.....	March 31, 1927
Rawson Road	200 Broadway to Mystic Valley Parkway	40	358	.....	March 6, 1893
Reed Street	Thedea St. to 725 Summer St.	40	1734	375	
Renfrew Street	235 Cedar Ave. to Florence Ave.	40	1407	1243	March 13, 1946; March 22, 1950
Reservoir Road	185 Florence Ave. to Dow Ave.	40	.....	533	
Revere Street	15 Nourse St., westerly	40	.....	240	Formerly Nourse Road
Rhinecliff Street	37 Walnut St. to Menotomy Rd.	40	370	.....	April 3, 1929
Rhinecliff Street	211 Florence Ave. to 891 Concord Turnpike	40	1910	.....	March 22, 1950
Rhinecliff Street	360 Appleton St. to 214 Florence Ave.	50&40	1004	.....	March 28, 1951
Richardson Avenue	1246 Mass. Ave. to Appleton St.	40	398	.....	March 26, 1930

TABLE SHOWING LOCATION, LENGTH AND WIDTH OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE STREETS—Continued

Name	Location	Width	Length		Date of Acceptance
			Public	Private	
Richfield Road.....	30 Victoria Rd. to 107 Summer St.	40	2302	.....	A portion formerly Cutter Avenue, March 31, 1837; March 22, 1950
Ridge Street.....	182 Mystic St., northerly	50	.....	2330	.....
Ridge Street.....	Yerxa Rd. to north of North St.	40	.....	3210	.....
*River Street	15 Warren St. to Medford Line	40	1800	.....	March 2, 1857; Laid out by County Comm., 1855
Roanoke Road.....	24 Colonial Drive to Spy Pond Parkway ..	40	.....	180	.....
Robin Hood Road	372 Mystic St. to Lake Shore Drive	40	.....	1000	.....
Robbins Road	1019 Mass. Ave. to 16 Hawthorne Ave.	40&45	.....	1200	.....
Rockland Avenue	43 Miller St., north and south	40	1370	551	April 14, 1896
Rockmont Road	99 Richfield Rd. to 11 Oak Hill Drive ..	40	.....	794	.....
Ronald Road	15 Overlook Rd. to Pleasant Ave.	40	1270	.....	May 6, 1924
Roslin Road	17 Aberdeen Rd. to Kilsyth Rd.	40	.....	150	.....
Rublee Street	149 Hibbert St., westerly	40	.....	500	.....
Rublee Street	142 Hibbert St. to Williams St.	40	.....	273	.....
Rublee Street	14 Mystic St. to Water St.	40	791	.....	.....
Russell Terrace	28 Russell St. to Winslow St.	40	390	.....	March 4, 1871
Ryder Street	430 Summer St. to E. & M. R. R.	40	.....	100	March 14, 1892
Sachem Avenue	127 Mystic St., easterly	40	.....	811	.....
Sagamore Road	37 Brewster Rd. to east of Standish Rd.	40	.....	100	.....
Saratoga Road	57 Richfield Rd. to 55 Oak Hill Drive ..	40	.....	201	.....
School Street	1060 Massachusetts Ave. to Teale St., westerly	40&30	.....	215	.....
School Street	1060 Massachusetts Ave. to Gray St.	40	1363	.....	March 16, 1908 April 8, 1931
Schouler Court	887 Massachusetts Ave., northerly	30	340	.....	.....
Scutuate Street	23 Gloucester St. to Longfellow Rd.	40	1923	.....	March 31, 1927
Scutuate Street	154 Longfellow Rd. to 743 Concord Turnpike	40	433	631	March 28, 1934; March 13, 1946
Selkirk Road	3 Aberdeen Rd. to Perth Rd.	40	.....	500	Formerly Yale Street, March 19, 1941
Shawnee Road	41 Bonad Rd. to High Haith Rd.	40	.....	557	.....
Shelley Road	Browning Rd. to Wadsworth Rd.	40	.....	978	.....
Sheraton Park	Spy Pond Parkway, northerly	40	.....	460	.....
Sherborn Street	106 Medford St. to Webcowet Rd.	40	732	.....	.....
Shore Road	Chapman St., southerly	40	.....	735	March 31, 1927; March 31, 1937
1 Short Street	Ely Rd., easterly	40	.....	201	.....
Silk Street	35 Broadway to Michael St.	40	.....	560	.....
Smith Street	44 Arnold St. to Lancaster Rd.	40	.....	600	.....
Spring Avenue	133 Highland Ave. to Buena Vista Rd.	40	.....	2450	.....
Spring Road	20 Sutherland Rd., southerly	40	.....	300	.....
Spring Street	591 Concord Turnpike to 244 Highland Ave. ....	.....	2830	.....	Old Town Way named Spring Place, November 9, 1846; March 13, 1942

TABLE SHOWING LOCATION, LENGTH AND WIDTH OF PUBLIC AND PRIVATE STREETS—Continued

Name	Location	Width	Length		Date of Acceptance
			Public	Private	
Tuftis Street	287 Massachusetts Ave. to 26 Warren St.	45	1300	.....	April 2, 1866
Udine Street	413 Appleton St. to Rublee St.	40	.....	960	
†Unnamed Street	129 Sylvia St., westerly	40	.....	170	
†Unnamed Street	1422 Massachusetts Ave. to Paul Revere Rd.	40	.....	400	
†Unnamed Street	38 Kensington Park, southeasterly	40	.....	280	
†Unnamed Street	Park Place, southerly	40	.....	340	
Upland Road	20 Falmouth Rd. to 162 Crosby St.	40	525	190	March 20, 1916
Upland Road West	162 Crosby St. to west of Hodge Rd.	40	467	501	March 22, 1950
Valentine Road	206 Appleton St. to Virginia Rd.	40	1713	200	March 26, 1930; March 22, 1950
Valley Road	114 Gray St. to Churchill Ave.	50	.....	783	
Varnum Street	120 Massachusetts Ave. to B. & L. R. R.	40	1625	92	March 26, 1914; March 28, 1928; April 8, 1931
Venner Road	267 Pleasant St. to 76 Hillsdale Rd.	40	777	.....	March 19, 1941
Victoria Road	37 Summer St. to 174 Mystic St.	50	746	.....	March 31, 1937
Village Lane	285 Lake St. to 279 Lake St.	40	.....	363	
†Virginia Road	344 Appleton St. to Wadsworth Rd.	40	.....	1512	
Vista Circle	59 Woodsde Lane, southerly	40	.....	415	
Wachusett Avenue	62 Wollaston Ave. to 207 Appleton St.	40	650	.....	November 13, 1894
†Wachusett Avenue	206 Appleton St. to Florence Ave.	50	.....	730	
Wachusett Avenue	146 Florence Ave. to Park Ave.	50	1725	.....	March 23, 1938
†Wadsworth Road	Appleton St. to east of Wollaston Ave.	50	.....	2146	
Waldo Road	57 Cleveland St. to 71 Amsden St.	45	940	.....	April 15, 1898; April 15, 1926; March 26 1930; formerly Laurel Street
Waldo Road	71 Amsden St. to 70 Teel St.	40	.....	341	
Wall Street	202 Spring St. to 723 Concord Turnpike	40	.....	593	
Walnut Court	20 Walnut St., easterly	25	.....	275	
Walnut Street	998 Massachusetts Ave. to 252 Gray St.	33	1360	.....	March 7, 1870
Walnut Terrace	55 Walnut St. to 269 Gray St.	40	300	302	April 1, 1940
*Warren Street	59 Medford St. to 133 Broadway	50	2680	.....	May 27, 1873; Old Town Way, November 9, 1846; Laid out by County Comm., 1874
Warwick Street	27 Marathon St. to Trowbridge St.	45	.....	200	
Washington Avenue	55 Madison Ave. to Orient Ave.	40	.....	250	
Washington Street	46 Brattle St. to Summer St.	40	.....	700	
Washington Street	334 Summer St. to Ronald Rd.	40	1442	.....	April 8, 1931
Washington Street	79 Ronald Rd. to west of Aerial St.	40	306	880	April 15, 1936
Water Street	675 Massachusetts Ave. to Russell St.	40	680	.....	March 15, 1894
†Water St. Ext.	Summer St. to Russell St.	50	.....	1300	
Waverley Street	158 Florence Ave. to Cedar Ave.	40	1390	790	March 22, 1950
†Waverley Street	163 Florence Ave. to Dow Ave.	40	.....	644	

Webowet Road	128 Medford St. to Orchard Terrace	40	473	March 31, 1937
Webowet Road	22 Orchard Ter. northerly to Mystic Lake Drive	40	608	April 15, 1926
Webster Street	267 Broadway to Mystic Valley Parkway	40	2390	March 25, 1861, and April 15, 1926
Wellington Street	86 Pleasant St. easterly	40	737	November 8, 1897; March 6, 1911
Wellington St. Ext.	38 Wellington St. to Addison St.	40	191	March 13, 1946
West Court Terrace	167 Lowell St., 200 feet northwesterly	40	211	August 4, 1884; March 17, 1881
Westminster Avenue	118 Lowell St. to Lexington Line	50	2310	
Westmoreland Ave.	221 Lowell St. to Orient Ave.	40	985	
West Street	82 Wollaston Ave. to Appleton St.	50	450	
Wheeler Lane	165 Mountain Ave. to Dickson Ave.	40	200	
White Street	29 Margaret St. to 16 Birch St.	40	375	April 1, 1940
Whitmore Street	506 Massachusetts Ave. to B. & L. R. R.	40	466	November 23, 1909
Whitour Avenue	58 Williams St. to Ely Rd.	40	1082	
Wildwood Avenue	31 Bartlett Ave. to Lockeland Ave.	40	1110	April 3, 1929
Wildwood Avenue	17 Lockeland Ave. to 14 Highland Ave.	40	370	March 29, 1939; formerly Trent Street
Wildwood Avenue	14 Highland Ave. to 14 Coleman Rd.	40	363	April 3, 1929; formerly Trent Street
Williams Street	12 Arnold St. to 43 Piedmont St.	40	1250	
Willow Court	801 Massachusetts Ave., northerly	30	170	March 28, 1951
Wilson Avenue	170 Lake St. to Concord Turnpike	40	585	
Winchester Road	74 Old Mystic St. to 2 Greenwood Rd.	40	896	March 29, 1939
Winchmere Avenue	18 Bartlett Ave. to Churchill Ave.	40	441	March 27, 1906; April 3, 1929
Winchmere Park	12 Windmere Ave., southerly	30	400	Portion formerly Sawyer Rd.
Winchmere Lane	2 Old Middlesex Path to 21 Morningside Dr.	40	1580	March 23, 1915
Windsor Street	127 Massachusetts Ave., 577 ft. northe'stly	40	577	May 6, 1924
Windsor Street	38 Waldo Rd., 423 feet southwesterly	40	423	
Winnick Place	126 Medford St. to Sherborn St.	20	111	March 14, 1892
Winslow Street	30 Mystic St. to Russell Terrace	40	528	April 13, 1874; also Old Town Way,
Winter Street	201 Massachusetts Ave. to 79 Broadway	40	1540	November 9, 1864
Winthrop Road	97 Sumner St., northerly	40	265	September 23, 1878; November 13, 1894;
Wollaston Avenue	103 Park Ave. to West St.	60	1340	March 16, 1908
Wollaston Avenue	3 West St. to Rublee St.	60	980	
Wollaston Avenue	344 Appleton St. to Concord Turnpike	50	1332	
Wollaston Avenue	347 Appleton St. to Rublee St.	60	495	
Woodbury Street	35 Dundee Rd. to Hibbert St.	40	750	
Woodland Street	120 Jason St. to Bartlett Ave.	40	282	
Woodland Street	109 Bartlett Ave. to 18 Lincoln St.	40	240	March 22, 1909
Woodside Lane	28 Oak Hill Drive to north of Brattle St.	40	2044	March 25, 1915
Wright Street	607 Sumner St. to Winchester Line	40	1930	Portion formerly Brattle Ave.
Wyman Street	347 Massachusetts Ave. to 81 Warren St.	40	1050	March 19, 1888; November 22, 1906
Wyman Street	341 Massachusetts Ave. to 352 Mass. Ave.	40	751	March 20, 1916
Yerxa Road	Ridge St. to Concord	40	450	
Length of Public Streets and Town Ways					70.92 miles
Length of Private Streets open for travel					35.33 miles
Length of Proposed Private Streets					10.45 miles

*Streets laid out by the County Commissioners.

†Proposed Street not built.

GENERAL STATISTICS

Arlington is situated six miles northwest of Boston, in latitude 42 deg., 25 min. north; longitude 71 deg., 09 min. west, at an elevation above mean tide of from 4 to 377 feet.

Massachusetts Avenue at Cambridge line, elevation 10 feet.
Massachusetts Avenue at Pleasant Street, elevation 48 feet.
Massachusetts Avenue at Park Avenue, elevation 155 feet.
Park Circle at Eastern Avenue (base of standpipe), elevation 377 feet.
Crescent Hill Avenue at Park Place, elevation 281 feet.

The Town and a part of what is now Belmont were set off from Cambridge and incorporated as West Cambridge in 1807. The name was changed from West Cambridge to Arlington in 1867.

Area of Town, including that covered by water, 3,517½ acres, 5½ square miles; area covered by water, 268.2 acres.

Parks: Town 148.24 acres; Metropolitan, 52.25 acres.

Total cemetery areas, 51.20 acres.

Public streets and Town ways; Macadam, 31.40 miles; Simasco, 1.20 miles; Warren Bitulithic, 0.13 miles; Macasphalt, 0.27 miles; Colprovia, 0.29 miles; Kyrock, 0.47 miles; gravel, 15.46 miles; concrete, 5.41 miles; reinforced concrete and bituminous concrete, 2.23 miles; bituminous concrete, 12.06 miles; total 70.92 miles.

State Highways and parkways, 5.87 miles.
Private streets open for travel, 35.33 miles.
Length of proposed private street, 10.45 miles.

Permanent sidewalks; Tar concrete, 13.53 miles; brick, 3.12 miles; artificial stone, 56.51 miles.
Edgestones, 50.40 miles.
Paved gutters, 15.08 miles.
Sewer system, 96.03 miles.
Water system, 107.47 miles.
Storm drain system, 54.88 miles.
Catch basins, 2199.

Report of the Town Counsel

December 31, 1951

Honorable Joint Board of Selectmen
and Board of Public Works,
Robbins Memorial Town Hall
Arlington, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the year 1951 in compliance with Section 3 of Chapter 3 of the By-Laws of the Town.

There have been twenty-four accident claims against the Town this year. Two have been settled as authorized by the Selectmen, seven have brought suit, and fifteen are in abeyance. Of the previous years' claims and suits, ten were abandoned by the claimants without suit, two at the time they were reached for trial, and two were settled as authorized by the Selectmen. There were no verdicts against the Town, and one case which was tried before a Jury and which resulted in a verdict for the Town was appealed by the plaintiff to the Supreme Judicial Court, and there the verdict in favor of the Town was upheld.

The exceptions of Lillian Y. Rubin taken in the trial of her case for the taking of her land (the so-called Pierce and Winn property) was successfully argued before the Supreme Judicial Court, whereby her exceptions were overruled, resulting in the perfecting of the Town's interest in said property. In this connection, I desire to express my appreciation to your Board and the Townspeople for the steadfast consideration and confidence accorded me during these protracted proceedings.

Three contract claims against the Town were successfully defended. A petition for Writ of Mandamus was brought by John H. O'Brien and William H. O'Brien against the Board of Registrars which, after hearing, was dismissed in favor of the Registrars. A Bill in Equity was brought by Marie DiNapoli against the Town to restrain the laying of a storm drain which was dismissed in favor of the Town. The City of Boston brought suit involving aid given certain persons alleged to have settlement in Arlington (some of which were admitted and some denied by Arlington) which was successfully defended by Arlington paying only its just share.

The position of the Board of Assessors before the Board of Tax Appeals, the Arlington Board of Appeals before the Emergency Housing Commission, and the Inspector of Buildings and Board of Selectmen before the Outdoor Advertising Authority, has been defended.

Substantial amounts of money for aid rendered by the Board of Health and by the Symmes Arlington Hospital have been collected and turned over to the Town Collector.

The Town Counsel has been available at regular meetings of the Board of Selectmen and the Board of Public Works, has rendered opinions as requested by other boards, departments, committees and officers, has attended hearings at State Boards and Commissions, and has been vigilant in all other matters affecting the interests of the Town.

For the kind consideration and cooperation extended to me by all the officials of the Town during the past year, and especially to the Board of Selectmen and Board of Public Works, I desire to record my sincere appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

RUSSELL T. HAMLET

Town Counsel

Report of the Public Welfare Department

January 31, 1952

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Town Hall
Arlington, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report for the Public Welfare Department for the year ending December 31, 1951.

CASE LOAD PER MONTH

	Welfare Aide	Old Age Aid to Assistance	Dependent Children
January	71	599	35
February	75	601	34
March	78	598	33
April	79	598	33
May	86	594	35
June	74	593	34
July	80	587	36
August	79	595	36
September ..	72	596	37
October	74	594	35
November	73	603	36
December	58	609	37

MEDICAL AND DENTAL CLINIC

777 visits were made to our Medical Clinic by recipients who had established their eligibility to receive assistance under one of the three categories as listed below.

Summary:

Welfare	226
Old Age Assistance	425
Aid to Dependent Children	126

777

250 visits were made to the Clinic for Dental care.

WELFARE AID

Total Expenditures	\$64,956.81*
Less Reimbursements:	
State	\$ 6,237.62
Cities and Towns	4,338.92
Individual and Estates	285.20
	<u>10,861.74*</u>
	\$54,095.07

*\$15,554.17 paid to other Cities and Towns included in this amount.

* 1,461.38 paid for Disability Assistance included in this amount.

WELFARE AID was granted to 105 cases, including 199 persons.

DISABILITY ASSISTANCE was granted to 18 persons.

****SETTLEMENT STATUS — WELFARE AID**

Arlington	72
State (Unsettled)	20
Other Cities and Towns	13
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	105

**Settlement Law not applicable in Disability Assistance.

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Total Expenditures	\$481,153.43*
Less Reimbursements and Grants:	
Federal Grants	\$198,408.12**
State	205,393.74
Cities and Towns	9,984.13
Individuals and Estates	3,425.83
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Net Expenditures	\$ 63,941.61

*\$9,094.12 paid to other Cities and Towns included in this amount.

**\$220,647.13 Total Federal Grants received.

CASE LOAD SUMMARY

Cases January 1, 1951	596
New Cases 1951	128
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Total Case Load 1951	724
Cases Closed 1951	115
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Cases December 31, 1951	609

SETTLEMENT STATUS

Arlington	458
State (Unsettled)	119
Other Cities and Towns	147
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	724

REASONS FOR DISCONTINUANCE

Death	67
Moved from Arlington	26
Secured employment	1
Sufficient income	14
Transferred to Institution	7
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	115

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

Total Expenditures		\$ 49,673.84
Less Reimbursements and Grants:		
Federal Grants	\$ 18,466.30	
State	16,318.47	
Individuals	0,000.00	34,784.77
Net Expenditures		\$ 14,889.07

52 families were aided under this category of relief, including 171 persons, 103 children under 16 and 21 children between 16 and 18 years of age.

1951 will long be remembered by Public Assistance Administrators as the year which ushered in a new category known as "Assistance to Persons WHO ARE DISABLED", Chapter 118D of the General Laws. Chapter 741 of the Acts of 1951, enacted October 30, 1951, established this new category which became effective November 1, 1951.

The basic pattern now followed in other State-supervised Categories of assistance will apply in this program. There is three (3) way financial participation by the Federal, State, and Local agencies with Federal and State combining to pay 75% of both aid and administration, leaving 25% to be borne by the local agency. The settlement provisions do not operate under this new law and residence requirements are substituted instead.

All local agencies are in the process of transferring cases from General Relief (or Welfare Aid) to Disability Assistance on a presumptive eligibility basis. Since no community had an appropriation in 1951 for this new category the law provided that payment could be made from the regular Welfare Aid appropriation. Wherever reference has been made in the statistical portion of this report to Welfare Aid, it should be understood that the 18 persons who received this form of assistance in December, retroactive to November 1, 1951, were paid from the Welfare Aid appropriation. A separate appropriation has been requested for 1952.

It is too early to estimate what saving Disability Assistance will bring about in Massachusetts communities. It does appear likely that in Arlington 33 1/3% to 50% of the Welfare Aid case load will eventually qualify for Disability Assistance. This could result in a net benefit of \$15,000.00 to \$20,000.00 annually after Federal and State reimbursements are established on a regular basis.

We also wish to call attention to the many changes which have been made in the Old Age Assistance Law, Chapter 118A. The following five amendments went into effect January 1, 1952, as provided by Chapter 801, Acts of 1951:

- (1) Provision requiring the State Department of Public Welfare to increase budgetary requirements to maintain adequate standards of assistance.

(2) Creation of legal minimum rates of \$75.00 monthly for persons who live outside a family group, and \$55.00 monthly for persons who live in a family group. Leisure Time Activity Allowance of \$4.00 monthly is to be paid in addition to the above minima.

(3) Statutory exemptions for children increased by \$500 per annum.

(4) Mandatory provision that lien be filed against the property of any applicant or recipient of Old Age Assistance.

(5) Elimination of the present requirement under which the full cost of the \$4.00 monthly Leisure Time Activity item is reimbursed by the Commonwealth.

We wish to state that while the property lien will tend to reduce case loads and eventually effect greater recoveries than were possible under the previous bond and mortgage requirement, all the other amendments will increase the local costs to a marked degree. We will not be able to forecast the amount of this increase for another month but it currently appears that the new legal minimum rates alone will increase payments by \$2,000 monthly or \$24,000 annually.

Your Agent wishes to express his sincere appreciation to the Honorable Board of Selectmen, Town Officials and employees, staff of the Public Welfare Department, private agencies, civic organizations and individuals for their friendly cooperation during the year. The administration of the public assistance programs is becoming more difficult with each passing year. The Agency needs cooperation and understanding from the public at large and stands ready at all times to interpret the programs to any interested groups.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE V. MORSE,

Agent

Report of the Inspector of Animals

January 4, 1952

Subject: Annual Report of Inspector of Animals

To: Board of Selectmen

1. A total of 153 animals in Arlington were examined and quarantined for biting during the past year.
2. There were no cases of rabies in Arlington in 1951.
3. One barn was inspected according to the instructions of the Director of Livestock Disease Control. There was one animal examined, and the animal and premises were found satisfactory.
4. The Inspector of Animals wishes to express his appreciation to the Board of Health and the Police Department for their excellent cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. MURPHY, JR., D.V.M.

Report of the Town Physician

January 10, 1952

Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Town Hall,
Arlington, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to submit herewith the report of Medical Inspector of the Department of Public Welfare for the year ending December 31, 1951.

	House	Office	Total
Aid to Dependent Children	63	126	189
Old Age Assistance	354	425	779
Temporary Aid	114	226	340
Veteran's Benefits	9	41	50

The total number of calls for the year 1951 has been 1358.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD W. FEELEY, M.D.

Report of the Dog Officer

January 4, 1952

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Arlington, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Dog Officer for the Town of Arlington for the year ending December 31, 1951 in accordance with Section 3 of Article 3 of the Town By-Laws.

Complaints registered with me are as follows:

Dogs impounded	511
Court complaints	None
Dogs destroyed at pound ..	33
Dogs returned to owners	147
Dogs contacted on Warrant ..	1171
Dogs caused to be licensed	1004
Dogs licensed	2045

Complaints registered with me to remove dead or mutilated animals from the highways are as follows:

Dogs	103
Cats	154
Skunks	47
Squirrels	29
Pigeons	30
Rats	2
Turtles	None
Rabbits	18
Raccoons	None

At this time I wish to thank the Board of Selectmen for advice rendered me in settlement of controversies arising between Dog Owners and Complainants, and to thank Chief Bullock for his splendid cooperation through his department.

My thanks to the Dog Owners of Arlington for prompt attention in the licensing of their dogs during the past year.

Respectfully submitted:

SAMUEL F. FEMIA

Dog Officer—Town of Arlington

Report of the Board of Health

The Board of Health herewith submits its Annual Report together with the reports of its appointed officers for the year ending December 31, 1951:

FINANCIAL REPORT

Appropriation

Personal Services	\$13,259.00
General Expense	1,975.00
Communicable Diseases	25,000.00
Mosquito Control Project	2,000.00
Premature Baby Care	3,000.00
Capital Outlay	159.00
Total	\$45,393.00

Expenses

Personal Services	\$12,705.50
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Hospitalization for Tuberculosis:

Middlesex County Sanatorium	\$6,762.00	
North Reading State Sanatorium ..	350.00	
Lakeview State Sanatorium	1,095.00	
Rutland Training Center	482.15	
Other Hospitals	250.00	
Ambulance Service	28.00	8,967.15

Hospitalization and Expenses for other

Communicable Diseases:

Meningitis	\$ 385.42	
Scarlet Fever	26.00	
Ambulance Service	8.15	
Miscellaneous Expenses	92.00	511.57

Antirabic Clinic, Vaccine	242.55	
Antirabic Clinic, Expense	302.11	544.66

Total Expenditures (Communicable Diseases)	\$10,023.38
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Mosquito Control Project	2,000.00
Capital Outlay	150.30
Premature Baby Care	1,442.80

General Expense

Maintenance of Office	293.83
Maintenance of Auto	382.73
Dental Clinic Supplies	252.82
Telephone	178.33

Laboratory	24.30	
Milk Inspection	321.00	1,453.01
Total Expenditures		\$27,774.99

Receipts

Licenses Issued:		
Sale of Alcohol	\$	1.00
Manufacture of Frozen Desserts or Ice Cream Mix (Retail)		20.00
Manufacture of Frozen Desserts or Ice Cream Mix (Wholesale)		100.00
Practice of Massage and giving of Vapor Baths		4.00
Practice of Massage and giving of Vapor Baths (Establishment Owners)		2.00
Collection of Meat Trimmings		10.00
Sale of Oleomargarine		23.00
Sale of Milk from stores		56.00
Sale of Milk from vehicles		18.00
Operating Pasteurizing Plants		20.00
Constructing Cesspools		32.00
Pick up Garbage		4.00
Day Nurseries		3.00
Total Receipts from Licenses issued	\$	293.00

Receipts from Communicable Diseases

Tuberculosis	6,149.00
Receipts from Dental Clinic	995.00
Receipts from Premature Baby a/c	305.00
Miscellaneous Receipts	6.28

Total Receipts	\$ 7,748.28
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Total Expenditures	\$ 27,774.99
Total Receipts	7,748.28

Net cost to operate	\$ 20,026.71
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Cost per Capita45
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Including debt and maintenance of Middlesex Count Sanatorium	\$ 44,700.12
Net cost to operate	20,026.71

	\$ 64,726.83
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Cost per Capita	1.46
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COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Cases reported during the year 1951

Infantile Paralysis	4
Chicken Pox	119

Diphtheria	1
Dog Bites	159
German Measles	18
Gonorrhea	5
Measles	38
Meningitis	3
Mumps	350
Scarlet Fever	64
Syphilis	12
Tuberculosis (Pulmonary)	19
Tuberculosis (Other Forms)	1
Whooping Cough	34
Total	827

Number of Arlington resident hospitalized through this office, having Arlington settlement, for:

Scarlet Fever	1
Meningitis	1

Tuberculosis Report

Total number of cases as of December 31, 1951	202
Deaths during year	5
Case removals during year	26
New cases reported during year	20
Contacts X-rayed (All reported negative)	59

Arrangements had been made by the Board to conduct a chest X-ray Clinic, starting in October of 1951, but due to unforeseen circumstances it became necessary to cancel all plans.

Persons having a legal settlement in Arlington were hospitalized in Tuberculosis sanatoria as follows:

Middlesex County Sanatorium	21
Lakeville State Sanatorium	1
North Reading State Sanatorium	1
Rutland Training Center	1

Persons without a legal settlement in Arlington were hospitalized through this Board as follows:

Middlesex County Sanatorium	6
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REPORT ON CLINICS CONDUCTED BY BOARD OF HEALTH DIPHTHERIA PREVENTION BY IMMUNIZATION

Year	Number of Children Immunized	Percentage below Age-5 of those Immunized	Percentage between Age5-10 of those Immunized	Diphtheria	
				Cases	Deaths
1945	116	83	17	1	0
1946	91	73	27	3	0
1947	82	67	33	0	0
1948	46	69	31	13	1
1949	37	68	32	2	0
*1950	12	75	25	2	0
*1951	21	87	13	1	0

*Triple Antigen used in place of Diphtheria Toxioid

DENTAL CLINIC

Statistical Report On Work Performed During 1951

Total Number of Patients	668
Total Number of Hours	543
Total Number of Sitzings	2007
Total Number of Operations	4521
Extractions Permanent	0
Deciduous	24
Fillings Permanent	553
Deciduous	1825
Treatments Silver Nitrate	837
Prophylactic	1286
Total number of Dismissals	1166

CLINIC FOR VACCINATION OF DOGS AGAINST RABIES

Clinics were held April 16, 17, 18, 20 and 21

Number of Dogs Vaccinated	1009
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BIRTHS AND DEATHS OCCURRING IN ARLINGTON
RESIDENT AND NON-RESIDENT DURING 1951

With Five-year Comparative Death Rate and Infant Mortality
(Stillbirths Excluded)

	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951
Population estimated	43,575	43,575	43,575	43,984	44,353
*Number of Deaths	488	446	391	483	562
*Apparent Death Rate per 1,000 Population	11.1	10.2	9.1	11.	12.1
Births	920	910	922	969	1,029
Deaths of children under one year of age	23	17	21	25	23
Rate of infant mortality per 1,000 births	25.	18.6	22.8	25.8	22.4
*Crude Rate					

Age of oldest persons dying in Arlington (1951)

Female—96 years 6 months 18 days

Male—93 years

NOTE: The corrected death rate is found by eliminating the deaths of all non-residents dying in Arlington and adding the deaths of all residents of Arlington dying elsewhere, as taken from the records of the Town Clerk.

Deaths of residents occurring in Arlington	306
Deaths of residents of Arlington occurring elsewhere	181
Total	487
Death rate per 1,000 population	10.9

BIRTHS OCCURRING IN ARLINGTON
RESIDENTS AND NON-RESIDENTS DURING 1951

Population estimated — 44,353

*Number of births	1029
*Birth rate per 1,000 population	23.
*Crude Rate	

CORRECTED BIRTH RATE

NOTE: The corrected birth rate is found by eliminating the births of all non-residents born in Arlington and adding the births of all residents of Arlington born elsewhere, as taken from the records of the Town Clerk.

Births of resident occurring in Arlington	536
Births of residents of Arlington occurring elsewhere	493
Total	1029
Birth rate per 1,000 population	23.

SHOWING THE FIVE PRINCIPAL CAUSES
OF DEATH IN ARLINGTON DURING 1951

	Number of Deaths	Number per 1,000 of Population
Heart Disease (All forms)	167	3.8
Cancer	59	1.3
Cerebral Hemorrhage	49	1.1
Pneumonia (All forms)	35	.79
Accidents	21	.41

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN S. CROSBY, Chairman

ERNEST R. BROOKS, D.M.D.

CARL E. BARSTOW, M.D.

Arlington Board of Health

REPORT OF AGENT AND CLERK

Licenses Issued

To sell alcohol	1
To practice massage	5
To collect meat trimmings	5
To act as Funeral Directors ..	16
To conduct Day Nurseries	3

Permits Issued

To construct cesspools or septic tanks	32
To keep poultry ..	17
To hold rummage sales	25
To haul offal	11
To pick up garbage	4
Burial Permits ..	424

Inspections

Food and other establishments which serve the public	280
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Complaints

Investigated and settled	32
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Legal Settlements

Investigated and determined ..	24
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REPORT OF MILK INSPECTOR

Licenses Issued

For the sale of milk from stores	112
For the Sale of milk from vehicles ...	36
For the sale of oleomargarine	46
To manufacture Ice Cream Mix	5
To operate Pasteurizing Plants	2
Milk analyses made	120

Average for the year as follows:

	Fats	Solids	Bacteria
*Grade "A"	4.30	13.27	6,140
*Regular	3.99	12.82	6,439
*School ..	3.93	12.61	12,563
*Negative Phosphatase			

Inspections

Pasteurizing Plants	4
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REPORT OF SLAUGHTERING INSPECTOR

There was no slaughtering in the Town of Arlington during the year end December 31, 1951.

Report of the Cemetery Department

January 9, 1952

Honorable Board of Selectmen,
Arlington, Mass.

Gentlemen:

The report of the Cemetery Commissioners for the year ending December 31, 1951, is herewith submitted.

The Board organized March 14, 1951 with Ralph S. Stevens, chairman, and Mrs. Mabel G. Robinson, clerk.

During the year we have, with the cooperation of the Board of Public Works, continued with the work of developing the land transferred in 1950 from the Park Department to the Cemetery Department. It is our intention to do as much of this work as possible with our own men.

Again we want to express our appreciation to the Public Works, Park and Tree Departments for their assistance at various times during 1951.

There were 355 bodies interred in Mt. Pleasant Cemetery during 1951.

Valuation of Lots and Graves with Perpetual Care \$269,603.50.

Following are the amounts received by the Board of Cemetery Commissioners:

Sale of Lots and Graves	\$ 9,693.00
Annual Care ..	2,239.00
Liners	1,286.00
Foundations	1,123.33
Opening Graves ..	7,590.00
Miscellaneous ..	2,642.00
Perpetual Care ..	16,720.00
Income from Funds	7,554.57

Respectfully submitted,

RALPH S. STEVENS
ARTHUR R. KIMBALL
WATHEN B. HENDERSON

Board of Cemetery
Commissioners

Report of the Planning Board

The Planning Board submits herewith its report for the year ending December 31, 1951.

At the town election of March, 1951, Mr. John B. Byrne, Jr. was elected for a three-year term. The Board organized, and Mr. John O. Parker was elected Chairman, and Herbert M. Dutcher was elected Secretary of the Board.

The Planning Board continues its representation on the Advanced Programing and Budgeting Committee.

During the year public hearings were held on the following proposed Zoning By-Law Amendments or Zoning changes, all of which were inserted in the warrant for the annual Town Meeting of 1951.

Article #52—A proposed amendment to the Zoning Map and By-Law to include in the Business "A" District certain land in the Residence "B" District, located at Broadway, Sunnyside Avenue, and Silk Street, containing approximately 71,000 square feet of land, to permit the erection of a storage garage for motor vehicles. This amendent was recommended by The Planning Board, but was not adopted by the Town Meeting.

Article #53—An informative article to see if the Town would approve a bill in the General Court which would restrict use of land on the Concord Turnpike to a depth of 200 feet on either side to agricultural and single residence purposes, except those portions of such land lying easterly of Lake Street. The Planning Board reported itself not in favor of the proposed bill on the ground that the zoning power should be retained by the Town Meeting under the principle of Home Rule, and should not be delegated to state legislation. The Board recommended that no action be taken on the Article which was followed by the Town Meeting.

Article #54—A proposed amendment to amend the Zoning Map and By-Law to include in the Business "A" District a substantial area on the Concord Turnpike easterly of Lake Street, formerly included in the Residence "B" District, to provide for the erection of a shopping center. The Planning Board recommended the adoption of this amendment, and it was so voted by the Town Meeting.

The Board met on several occasions with the Park Commission in connection with a proposed survey of park, playground, and recreational facilities within the Town.

At the request of the Board of Selectmen, the Planning Board conducted a professional survey of the vacant land on Massachusetts Avenue opposite the Town Hall in regard to potential municipal use of such land. The Board reported to the Board of Selectmen, and had several joint conferences with the Selectmen in connection with the matter.

The Board has been consulted in regard to miscellaneous matters of a local or neighborhood nature.

The Board remains a member of the State Federation of Planning Boards, and has maintained its contact with the State Planning Board.

Regular meetings of the Board have been held throughout the year.

The Planning Board wishes to express its appreciation to all of the other Town Board and Department Heads who have rendered assistance to it during the year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN O. PARKER
HERBERT M. DUTCHER
JOHN B. BYRNE, JR.
HARVEY C. ABBOTT
CHARLES J. DALEY, JR.

Report of the Park Commission

The Board of Park Commissioners herewith submits its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1951.

At the Annual Town Election held on March 5, 1951, Everett J. Henderson was re-elected a member of the Board for a term of three years. Regular meetings were held by the Board on Monday evenings throughout the year at the office of the Park Department in the Town Hall.

MAINTENANCE AND DEVELOPMENT OF AREAS

Another phase in our long range development of added facilities at Warren A. Pierce Field was completed last spring when the baseball diamond, similar to any major league installation, was officially opened. This field will be reserved for the use of the high school varsity baseball squad and baseball teams of semi-professional caliber. During the fall of the year a field hockey area was installed for the use of the girls in the high school varsity field hockey program.

The unusually good weather of last spring enabled us to re-seed the baseball diamond at Linwood Street Playground, establish a new diamond in accordance with specifications of Little League, and provide for its use by Little League in all of its games beginning in early June.

The unfinished portion of Thorndike Street Playground, involving about 35,000 square feet of land was brought to subgrade by the use of surplus fill from street construction. Loam for this area was available from our purchase in 1950 of surplus loam from the Arlington Housing Authority. This area was seeded this fall to complete a field which now totals 421,000 square feet of playground space. A backstop was erected in the location of a new baseball diamond to be installed next spring.

The unfinished portion of Robbins Playground, representing approximately 210,000 square feet of land, was brought to final grade, loamed and seeded this fall.

All available surplus fill from street construction was deposited in the unfinished portion of Summer Street Playground in an effort to bring this area to subgrade. A large quantity of fill is still needed, but this area should be finished next year. Four thousand yards of loam have been placed on the area in stockpile this December to be used in the seeding of this playground when it is brought to final grade.

Five thousand cubic yards of loam were purchased from the Arlington Housing Authority in December for twenty-five hundred (\$2,500.00) dollars. We are ever grateful to the Housing Authority for its cooperation in selling this amount of loam to us at such a low price. Loam represents the major cost in the development of our areas and this recent purchase again gives us a sufficient stockpile to develop areas next year at a considerable saving to the Town.

The opening of our new playground at Medford Street last April proved, in its popularity throughout the year, the need of several small children's areas throughout the town.

All outdoor facilities were serviced daily or as required in the use of these areas by individuals, leagues and organizations. Seasonal flowers were again planted in our many flower beds throughout the town.

Action by our 1951 Annual Town Meeting placed the maintenance of the World War II Honor Roll under the jurisdiction of this Board. The maintenance of all precinct boxes was also assumed for the Board of Selectmen. These boxes, of which there are twenty-eight, were fully repaired and given two coats of paint.

RECREATION

Our Summer Playground Program was conducted again this year on thirteen playgrounds for an eight week period beginning June 25, 1951. An average daily attendance of nineteen hundred and twenty-five (1,925) children was maintained on these areas for this period, showing a steady increase in participation over previous years.

Our program offered a variety of active and quiet games, sports, story telling, trips, picnics and crafts. These activities were climaxed by our Annual Childrens Parade and Field Day on August 15, 1951. over fifteen hundred gaily costumed children paraded with floats and doll carriages from Robbins Library to Warren A. Pierce Field. Rain, unfortunately, interrupted the conduct of our Field Day which necessitated the distribution of awards and prizes, candy and ice cream, all provided by local merchants and organizations, to the children on each playground the following day.

Reservoir Beach was officially opened for supervised bathing on June 15, 1951 and weather permitting was open daily through Labor Day. Swimming instruction was offered daily by our lifeguards.

Other activities conducted by the department during the year included baseball and softball leagues, bowling leagues, tennis clinics,

basketball leagues, Little League, badminton, golf, crafts, square dancing, supervised skating areas and outdoor band concerts.

CONCLUSION

The continued support of individuals and organizations and the cooperation of other Town Boards, department heads and their employees during the past year is gratefully acknowledged. We also express our sincere thanks to all who have been in our employ during the year on a full or a part-time basis for their conscientious effort.

Respectfully,

Edward D. Buckley

Franklin W. Hurd

Everett J. Henderson

Board of Park Commissioners

Annual Report of the Personnel Board

Honorable Board of Selectmen
Robbins Memorial Town Hall
Arlington, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

The Personnel Board herewith respectfully presents to the citizens of Arlington its annual report for the year ending December 31, 1951.

The Board continued to function during the past year with no changes in membership. Twenty-four regular and special meetings were held. Prior to January 1, 1952 the Board held hearings for thirty individuals and groups regarding reallocations, classifications and salary adjustments.

The Secretary has continued the analysis of classified positions and has now established a complete personal history and file for all classified personnel in the Town. The office routine for prompt clearance of such matters as classification of new employees, reallocations, re-classifications and Civil Service requirements is functioning exceedingly well.

We point out that there will always be need for adjustments and changes in the classification plan as the Town grows and responsibilities and duties of individuals and groups change.

It is not necessary, probably, to point out that a smooth functioning of the Classification and Pay Plan has been severely handicapped by the abnormal cost of living and economic situation which has existed during the entire life of the Board.

After a continuous study of salaries and wages, cost of living, comparisons with wage scales in private and public service and conferences with employees and executive groups, the Board must again recommend an increase in the basic pay scale as established in 1949 and as amended at the Town Meeting in March 1951. Recommendations for changes in grade have been reduced to a minimum and involve only exceptional cases.

During the past year the Executive Secretary has devoted much time to a study of local practice in regard to vacation leave, sick leave, overtime and lunch periods. Material bearing upon practices in comparable communities has been obtained and studied. Our investigations indicate a wide variance in rules and regulations of departments and boards as to these items. Such a condition fosters unrest and low morale among employees.

The Board has formulated a tentative plan to standardize sick leave, vacation allowance, overtime and lunch periods as effecting employees in all branches of our local government. We are now operating with boards, department heads and others concerned to effect an agreed-upon common practice.

It is contemplated that a proposal for adoption of a by-law establishing a uniform procedure in respect to these problems will be presented at a special Town Meeting during 1952.

The Board again expresses its thanks and appreciation for the cooperative and helpful manner in which all officials and boards have assisted us in the administration of the Classification and Pay Plan.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES J. FLYNN

ARTHUR J. MANSFIELD

M. NORCROSS STRATTON,

Chairman

Annual Report of the School Department

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 1951

To the Citizens of Arlington:

The annual report of the research division of the National Education Association on the current elementary and secondary school enrollment showed an increase of 800,000 over a year ago. Of long range interest is the fact that more babies were born in the United States in 1951 than in any previous year of our history. A total of over 3,900,000 babies exceeds the previous high figure of 3,876,000 in 1947. The anticipated decline has failed to materialize. Furthermore, infant mortality has established a new low. The steady downward trend in infant mortality over the past decade has meant an aggregate saving of about 400,000 infant lives during this period, truly a magnificent achievement.

These statements merely preface our building needs. It should be recalled that ten years ago the School Committee asked for two schools to replace the Russell School, one in the Morningside section of town and one near Park Street in Precinct Seven. The former was approved by the Town Meeting materializing in the Bishop School, but the latter proposition was turned down by the Town Meeting. It is hoped that the present committee studying the Russell School will present a formative plan at this Town Meeting. The School Committee must seek land beyond the Bishop School as this area has developed rapidly since the erection of the new school. The policy of the parochial school in the Heights section will determine building plans there. The two junior high schools should be adequate, but as the wave of war babies moves into the high school, additional space may be needed. The allocation of school construction metals could possibly curtail building.

The Sixth Yearbook of the Department of Superintendence in 1928 enumerated the three former objectives of American public education; namely, to help the growing person to understand (1) Self, (2) Nature, (3) Society, and it added another—(4) The force called Love. In the remarkable preamble to this fourth objective those educators who reported said in part: "Man craves more than a knowledge of himself, of nature, and of organized society. He hungers and thirsts after righteousness. Knowing his own imperfections he feels that somewhere there is perfection. The great universe calls to his spirit, and unless he ignorantly or wilfully closes his ears, he hears the voice of God. The individual soul reaches out to orient itself in the universe and to find its place of labor and of rest. No partial view suffices . . ."

The statement and the adoption of the fourth aim of 1928 were not properly implemented. However, the crescendo of the cry for the teaching of spiritual values in the public schools is culminating in action on many fronts. The American Council on Education had been financed by a one-year grant from the Rockefeller Foundation to conduct an exploratory research project concerning the relation of religion to public education in the United States. Both the National Education Association and the American Council on Education agree

that the public schools should teach about religion. Moral and spiritual values can be motivated while still respecting the important separation of church and state.

The Committee expresses its appreciation to the following people who retired during the year:

Teachers Retired in 1951:

Miss Katherine T. Gregory, Supervisor of Elementary Education
 Mrs. Claiborne C. Elliman, Visiting Teacher
 Miss Doris I. Allen, Visiting Teacher
 Miss Martha S. Gray, Librarian at the High School

Teachers Resigned in 1951:

Miss M. Jean Roberts, Teacher at Hardy School for 21 years

In Memoriam

MARY A. KEEFE

Secretary and Head Clerk, 1914-1951

Receipts of Funds received from the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in 1951 and estimate for 1952 follows:

Description	Actual Receipts 1951	Estimated Receipts 1952
State Aid for Public Schools	\$147,106	\$168,882
Maintenance of Arlington Vocational Schools	\$ 12,022	\$ 13,500
Vocational Tuition	\$ 969	\$ 1,672
Americanization	\$ 190	\$ 232
Tuition and Transportation of State Wards	\$ 6,471	\$ 6,508
State Aid for School Construction	\$121,484	\$ 43,648
Total Receipts from the Commonwealth	\$288,242	\$234,442

The Committee expresses its appreciation to the Superintendent of Schools and other school officials, teachers and employees for their loyal and conscientious efforts. We thank the Town officials, members of boards and departments and the citizens of the Town for their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

(Signed) JOHN P. MORINE,
 Chairman.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS
FOR THE YEAR 1951

To the School Committee of Arlington

Ladies and Gentlemen:

It is my privilege to submit for your consideration the following report of the schools for the year 1951. I am including in my report excerpts from the annual reports submitted to me by various principals, supervisors, and committees.

Housing and Building Problems:

The maintenance of adequate school plant facilities proposes a constant problem. Obsolescence through physical deterioration and the introduction of new revolutionary plant layouts requires a ceaseless vigil by the school administration to insure the relative adequacy of the plant facilities in use.

Sufficient housing capacity is another important facet of the problem of maintaining adequate plant facilities. The shifting of student population between school districts frequently burdens some schools with more students per teacher than advisable while adjoining schools may possess a low average enrollment per teacher. Recently the Crosby School district has been affected by a population change.

Crosby School—The construction of new Veteran's Housing units within the Crosby district has nearly filled the school to capacity. The present enrollment at the Crosby School is 542 children. A maximum of 32 students per class is believed desirable for efficient instruction practices. Total desired capacity of the Crosby School is about 510 students or 32 students less than the present enrollment. An extra room is being renovated in the basement to accommodate some increment in future kindergarten classes and to reduce the size of all kindergarten classes to a more workable enrollment. The average size of classes for grades one through six is 32 students. In itself the average size of classes is satisfactory, but in relation to the two adjacent schools an overall improvement could be made by apportioning teaching facilities more evenly. The average per class in the Hardy School is 28 children while the Russell School average is about 21 pupils per class. Although the Russell School enrollment is now 170 students, it could conveniently hold 350 children. The district line between the Russell and Crosby Schools could be extended toward the Crosby School. This would more evenly apportion the students per class between the two schools and would provide more elasticity for future enrollment expansion in the Crosby School. There seems to be less advantage in moving the Hardy School district line closer to the Crosby to help relieve the Crosby enrollment. By leaving this district line as it is, the Hardy School will have sufficient plant capacity to care for an increment of 90 children before its class enrollment reaches the maximum of 32 pupils per class.

The adequacy of the present Russell School structural facilities is now under consideration by a special building committee.

Russell School—The Russell School, constructed in 1872, is in need of internal repairs and remodeling. While the foundation and walls are in excellent condition, a new heating plant, new sanitariums, new lighting fixtures, modern furniture, tile floors and acoustical-tiled ceilings are urgently needed to meet the minimum in adequate plant facilities. New construction has been considered as an alternative. There seems to be no available site in the Russell district for new construction. In addition, a new school would cost twice as much as the remodeling program. For these reasons, the special committee favors remodeling. The remodeling program was estimated to require several months. As the summer vacation would not be sufficient, the children could be housed on the second floor of the Center building during the remodeling.

Center School—At the present time, approximately one-third of the available space in the building is unused. Two special committees have studied several proposals concerning the utilization of this space. The first of these proposals was to move the administrative staff of the Superintendent into the building. The second proposal was to offer the unused space to the Town Hall, which is sorely in need of additional office space. After an extensive survey, both proposals have been rejected. The cost of renovating and remodeling to make the vacant space suitable for offices is estimated at approximately \$80,000 dollars. The portion of the building occupied is extensively used by the Junior High Industrial Arts and by Adult Education classes. The general consensus in rejecting the proposals was that the resulting improvement would not justify the expenditures. In addition, office help, children, and teachers trafficking over identical areas would create unwelcome administrative problems of control. A Town Hall office staff in the building, placing the building under the jurisdiction of more than one department, would increase the burdens of administrative cooperation due to the increase in the diversity of interests.

Classroom Lighting:

A substantial sum of money was provided the Department for the inauguration of a four year classroom lighting program. Through the use of a light meter, all rooms were checked and the darker rooms have already been improved. Foot candles were increased from three to approximately twenty-four. It is assumed that funds will be provided to continue this essential program until the classrooms are completely equipped.

The Elementary Department:

The selection of teachers in the elementary field is seriously hampered by the shortage of new teachers. This year we selected teachers directly from the teachers colleges, limiting selection to those in the upper quarter of the graduating class. These selections have proved to be worthwhile and the new teachers are doing good work in Arlington.

We are continuing our evaluation of curriculum materials, with the trend of coordinating toward high school needs as a general objective. The arithmetic program is to be specifically worked upon in the near future, depending upon the availability of course instruction. At this time, several teachers on all grade levels are taking a course in Methods of Physical Education.

There have been two changes in the report card form. The first is to add the height and weight record to the card. The second change is the inclusion of "subjects needing improvement" and "subjects in which improvement has been made."

The new Pupil Personnel Service Division has added greatly to the functioning of this department. The problems of exceptional children are quickly and professionally handled, and information is made available to the teacher and parents.

The school-police safety program, now in its third year, functions well. The objectives this year are 1. better coordinated patrols; 2. a better patrol inspection system; 3. improved marking of school zones and crossings. The excellent coordination between the Police and School Departments is a primary factor in the program's success.

We urge rapid improvement in the better lighting program throughout the town. Rooms already renovated show what can be accomplished by using modern lighting and painting. •

New teaching guides in Science, Social Studies, Reading, English, Music and Penmanship have been completed and issued to teachers. These guides were developed by teacher committees representing all grade levels; and teacher selections to this committee were made on the basis of teacher interest in the subject to be reviewed. These committees made comprehensive studies of the needs of Arlington boys and girls and the instructional material which would best serve their needs. The completion of these teaching guides and the continued research of the individual teacher committee insures our department a modern effective teaching system.

The coordinating factor in our department is a weekly meeting of all elementary principals with the Superintendent. At these meetings all immediate problems are reviewed and discussed, and in the light of current needs adjustments are made to the teaching program. Department heads and Committee chairmen are invited to present their needs and problems to the principals' group. We have found that this regularly planned meeting is an efficient and desirable means of meeting school problems.

Progress in Physical Education:

The modern program of physical education in the schools aims primarily to give every pupil wholesome physical activity which will meet the needs, interests, and capacities of every child. The values inherent in the modern physical education program are gradually being recognized by progressive educators today. Physical education through sports, games, rhythmic, aquatics, and gymnastics is education itself. It is based on a doing or functional philosophy. It exposes the individual to a wide variety of play activities which serves as developmental sources during childhood and youth and as recreational and leisure time pursuits in adulthood. We in Arlington have tried to develop the program of physical education in our schools around these principles.

The scope of our program in correctives is based upon the knowledge of health problems of the sub-physical child, so as to help him to develop as normally as possible. Individual exercises based upon the general or specific need of the individual are carried on throughout the program. These exercises may have many functions such as correction of pronated feet and various types of poor postures. Following a period of individual physical education conducted by a member of the physical education staff, the pupil is reexamined by the school physician. The frequency of this supervision will depend upon the individual problem involved. The size of the class is kept to a minimum in order to give as much individual attention as possible.

One of the main reasons for the intramural program is to offer each pupil an opportunity to participate in athletics of his own choice. It is the laboratory in which the boy may test out the fundamentals taught in the physical education class. Many a boy who does not possess the skills necessary for playing on a varsity team, does find in intramural sports the realization and desire, if not to excel, at least to do well and win the approval of his group. The thrill of competing, team play, effort needed to win a game, group loyalties, developing interests and skills all contribute to make intramurals a most worthwhile experience for later life. There is a need and place for both intramural and inter-scholastic athletics in the physical education program and each one can supplement and create interest in the other to the benefit of both.

The first Senior High girls gym meet to be held in the evening proved so popular with both the girl participants and their parents that another meet was held this year. The competitive spirit built up over a period of years has stimulated the girls to try to attain perfection in their class work as well as in athletics. The Girls' Athletic Association, a club ever increasing in numbers and popularity, provided the funds for class decorations, individual emblems for participants and costumes for the original skits.

With the completion of the new gymnasium at the Junior High West, the parents were given an opportunity to see the physical education activities of both boys and girls. The girls' marching and rhythmic exercises received many favorable comments from the spectators. The girls also demonstrated folk dancing, sport skills, stunts and square dancing.

Miss Gallagher does all the corrective work in the nine elementary schools. She takes all pupils selected by Dr. Foye and by Dr. Easter, all pupils who fail the posture tests given in classrooms, and any other pupils on parents' requests. These classes are very satisfactory and the results are good.

Elementary School Health Council:

In order that we might develop a more sound administrative plan coordinating and directing our elementary school health program, a school health council was initiated this school year. Dr. Leslie W. Irwin, Director of Health Education, Boston University was invited to our first meeting to direct and guide the development of the council. The

council is composed of the two school Physicians, Head Nurse, Director of Pupil Personnel Services, eight Elementary School Teachers, two Principals and a Supervisor of Girls and Boys Physical Education.

To date four meetings have been held at which time each department dealing with some phase of health has presented a program toward improving coordination in our elementary schools.

Medical Department Report:

The full value of health protection and improvement services is never realized unless these opportunities are made a part of students' learning experience. Attention should be paid to giving students a full understanding of the services provided for them. The new plan for spaced examinations was started this year. Pupils were examined in the first grade, fourth, seventh and tenth grades. Emphasis was placed on poor posture and orthopedic defects. During the month of May, registration and physical examinations were held for pupils entering school for the first time, either in kindergarten or first grade. Special examinations were arranged during the school year for any pupil participating in strenuous physical activities. More time will be available to have parents present at the examinations of elementary school pupils and for the follow-up of all remedial defects. The health examination given in the presence of a parent provides an opportunity for the nurse to learn more about the child and to provide health counseling and guidance through the interpretation of the total findings. Parents have the primary responsibility for the health of their children.

There seems to be a great need to help pupils in the care of their teeth. Last year 430 were notified their teeth needed attention. The younger pupils are able to attend the town clinic which is under the direction of the Board of Health. If the pupils do not enter the clinic in the first grade they are not allowed to attend later, unless it is an emergency. The pupils who are enrolled may attend this clinic every year until they are through the fourth grade. Pupils are accompanied by one of the school nurses to the Forsyth Dental Infirmary in Boston where they may have their teeth cleaned. Very few pupils are able to have fillings. As you will see by the yearly report, some pupils had vision retests by the nurse. Six hundred and sixty (660) were found defective and eighteen (18) were found to have very poor vision requiring special consideration in their classes. Two eye clinics were held by the nurses to help 48 pupils have their eyes examined and secure glasses.

The Division of Pupil Personnel Services:

The recommendations set forth in the Annual Report for 1950 concerning the inclusion of all special services (guidance, attendance, home visits, special classes, remedial work, testing, handicapped pupils) under one supervisor of a Division of Pupil Personnel Services, was implemented with highly satisfactory results.

In both elementary and junior high schools, pupils who present serious emotional, behavior, or learning problems are referred to the Division for special study and recommendations. In the Senior High School these cases are handled within the Guidance Department. The number of cases referred from elementary and junior highs from

September to December has already taxed the services of the Division to the extent that a back-log is developing. Unfortunately, the testing and study of these maladjusted pupils is a slow process and any type of therapy is time-consuming. However, the progress and results to date seem to more than justify the time and effort involved.

Within the junior high schools human relation classes have been set up in grades seven and eight covering such topics as personality growth, how personality traits develop, meeting people, aids in concentration and so on. The ninth grade guidance continues to involve a comprehensive achievement and aptitude testing program, the results of which are made known to parents and pupils on an individual profile chart and are explained at a ninth grade evening meeting in March. In High School the major portion of the counselors' time is spent in individual interviews with each pupil to insure proper academic placement and to discuss future plans as well as any immediate school, social, or personal problems which the pupil may bring up. The evaluation of this counseling is determined each year from the follow-up study of the graduates. During the present school year there was a one year follow-up of the Class of 1951 and a six year follow-up of the Class of 1945. The statistical analysis of the 100% follow-up of the Class of 1951 has been computed and it is encouraging to note that the number of students seeking higher education after high school has increased despite the open labor market. A careful analysis has been made of pupils who graduated in 1951 from the general course. Actually, this represents 27.3 percent of the group who graduated that year. About one-quarter went on to other schools (business, technical, preparatory or junior colleges) and more than half went into factory work, truck driving, general office work, retail sales, shipping, stock work, and the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company as operators. The administration is now engaged in the problem of how it can improve its curriculum for this segment of our school population. The 40.6 percent who graduated from the college preparatory curriculum and the 32.1 percent who graduated from the business curriculum seem to have made a satisfactory adjustment for the most part and their needs would seem to have been met from counseling and course of instruction which they pursued. In our six year follow-up information on as many as 82 percent of the Class of 1945 was obtained. Of those who were located it is interesting to note:

- 17% graduated successfully from a four year college
- 21% graduated successfully from a business or technical school
- 58% of the boys served, or are now serving, in the Armed Forces
- 44% of the girls are now married and $\frac{3}{4}$ of those are still working
- 57% of the girls worked, or are now working as typists, stenographers, bookkeepers, machine operators and general office workers.
- 18 graduates received degrees beyond their bachelors'
- 18 girls entered the teaching profession
- 18 boys became salesmen
- 12 boys sought employment in banks and insurance companies
- 11 boys entered trades
- 11 girls became nurses
- 10 boys became engineers
- 7 boys became accountants
- 2 boys each entered law, journalism, architecture

(Because of limited space, we are unable to reproduce the entire tabulation here, but it is available upon request).

Of particular concern were six graduates of the Class of 1945 whose economic and social adjustments were not too satisfactory. It is from the mistakes and difficulties of these pupils that we are able to learn how we may help subsequent graduates avoid such pitfalls.

It was extremely gratifying to find the small amount of job turn-overs among those who were placed on jobs by the Guidance Department. In extremely few cases was it found that graduates changed companies or firms more than three times over the six year period they were out of school. In most cases our pupils seemed to remain and advance with the same companies in which they were placed. During the past calendar year the Guidance Department has placed a total of 499 boys and girls at one time or another on part-time or full-time jobs. Job placement also continues during the summer months. The fifth annual survey of employers of the graduating class of 1951 was completed in September. The results indicate that graduates as a group have satisfactory skills and employers appreciate the opportunity to discuss with us methods of improving the preparation of these pupils for employment. Letters from employers are kept in bound copies and are available for inspection.

Throughout the year the Guidance Department conducts a series of panel discussions for interested pupils, with the assistance of outside speakers. Following are the areas included:

- Preparing for Education Beyond High School
- Planning for the Future
- Jobs for High School Students
- What It Is Like To Work In A Profession
- What High School Seniors Should Know About Unions
- Working for the Government
- Opportunities in Nursing, Engineering, Retailing and Office Work
- The Current Employment Market and Jobs for the Summer

Speakers from the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, Dewey and Almy Chemical Company, New England Mutual Life Insurance Company, Franklin Technical Institute, Tufts, Boston College, Harvard, Wheaton, and Northeastern University are only a few of those who have generously given of their time to participate in these discussions and answer questions.

The Arlington Summer Institute was conducted once again by the Division of Pupil Personnel Services for a six week period during July and August with funds made available by Mrs. Ruth Hornblower Greenough. In addition to the Theatre, Crafts, Music, Art and Creative Writing activities, a new group in Sculpturing was added. From the testimonials received there is little doubt now about the benefits gained by our pupils who have participated in these creative activities. Private support for this program cannot continue indefinitely and it is recommended that the School Department give serious consideration toward the support of a Summer Institute.

Two research projects, which are closely related, are now being carried on by the Division of Pupil Personnel Services. One concerns pupils who drop out of school before they graduate and the second concerns pupils whose needs do not seem to be met within our present

school curriculum. Actually these are problems which public education all over the United States is facing, but within our own community it affects a small minority of our entire school population. Of particular concern is the pupil of very limited academic or mechanical ability, who is a very slow learner, who seems totally unconcerned about his or her future vocational plans, and in whom we have been unable to arouse a spark of interest in anything. If allowed to do so, this pupil usually would drop out of school at the age of 16 but most have been persuaded by us to remain for whatever the school experience had to offer them. However, it should not be unreasonable for us to expect to accomplish more with this type of pupil than has been done in the past.

From the Junior High School Principals:

The corrective program in Physical Education now provides proper corrective exercises taught by trained teachers to such pupils as are selected by the school physician. The school physician prescribes the exercises. Special equipment has been constructed in the school shops at cost of materials. This equipment has been designed by Mr. Russell Peterson, who deserves credit for the initiation of this progressive practical program for promoting health. In addition, under his leadership a game program is available to every boy interested in sports for after school hours. Participation, especially in basketball, has far exceeded anticipations.

Art teachers have extended the work of the classroom to the provision of attractive seasonal decorations for their respective buildings. This gives practical application and enriched opportunity in Art to the pupils while making the school environment a more pleasant one for all.

Junior High Industrial Arts School:

A course, similar to that of former years, has been followed to prepare the non-academic pupil for future living in the community. There are many menaces to "right living" surrounding children of today. We have tried to counteract these menaces contributing to delinquency by improving our school program. This year's program has been more extensive and intensive toward a goal of the highest existent standards of living. Much individual work has been done requiring ingenuity on the part of teachers, for latent interest must be aroused in the atypical child if he is to meet the problems confronting him. Only alert inventive minds can provide impressive, persuasive solutions to the problems of these pupils. In this way the basic qualities of good citizenship can be instilled in the minds of our boys and girls. Decisive, persistent, patient teachers are successful. Special emphasis is laid upon choice of companions, use of leisure time, and self-improvement through gainful and healthful occupation. Different methods of approach must be employed but the "Junior Citizens' Club" (entire school—both teachers and pupils) continues to be the controlling element and most powerful ruling influence for the success of the school. "Growth" in all worthwhile ways has been stressed. Thus we aim to teach boys and girls to grow in character, to gain from doing right, and to live as good citizens.

Vocational School:

The Vocational School is continuing its work of preparing pupils for profitable employment. Because more students and parents are realizing the advantage of taking this type of training, our enrollment has increased over 25 per cent. Through the cooperation of the Pupil Personnel Services we are getting students that are capable of becoming skilled mechanics. The placement of our graduates for 1951 is 100 per cent and, except for those in the armed forces, is in the trade for which they have received training.

We have taken thirty-five new students in the Automobile Department and have engaged a new teacher. This department is now equipped to do any type of automotive work that is common to the trade. A teacher of radio related work has been secured and we are better able to prepare the students in the radio department for employment in the electronic field. Our equipment in the radio department has also been improved and increased. The machine shop has been expanded to twice its original size. A milling machine, which is in excellent condition, has been procured from the State Department as surplus property. With the additional space we are planning to purchase two additional bench lathes. A motion picture has been taken of the various shops in action. This picture has been shown at several educational meetings and has helped to stimulate the thinking of the people along vocational lines. Three new rooms have been taken over in the High School, and English and social studies are being taught in one room while the others are used for instruction in related work.

The evening school enrollment has been high as we have had 65 adults enrolled in the automobile department. This enrollment has made it necessary to run three classes. There are two classes in auto repair work, and a special class in engine work, giving instruction in theory. A radio class is running two evenings a week with a good enrollment, and the machine shop is also running evening classes.

Adult Education in the Arlington Schools:

We closed our 1950-51 program on April 3 of this year. Compilation of enrollment and attendance records up to that time show that we had 634 persons in our classes maintaining an 80 per cent attendance record. At the Exhibition on April 3, marking the closing of the 1950-51 program, we exhibited work done in Sewing, Rug Hooking, Leather Craft, Slip Covers and Draperies, Furniture Refinishing, Cookery, Upholstery and Tray Painting. More than 2000 person visited this Exhibition between the hours of 7 and 10 P.M. Besides the courses mentioned above, we also offered courses in Starting and Operating a Small Business, Typewriting, and Public Speaking.

On September 26, 27 and 28 of this year we registered for our 1951-52 program. The following courses were advertised:

	No. Enrolled
Sewing	176
Tailoring	40
Upholstery	39
Slip Covers & Draperies	41
Rug Hooking	66
Furniture Refinishing	54
Tray Painting	60
Leather Craft	22
Cookery	35
Starting & Operating a Small Business	8
Home Mechanics	7
Typewriting	82
Silver Jewelry	12
Textile Painting	18
Ceramics	18
Total	638

Over 90 per cent of the class capacity for the courses mentioned above were registered on the first night of registration. It is estimated that at least 800 persons came to the High School hoping to enroll in one or more courses on the first registration night. Indeed, there were so many applicants for certain offerings that we had, and still have, a waiting list of over 60 persons for Upholstery, 35 persons for Tray Painting, 30 persons for Sewing, 40 persons for Furniture Refinishing, etc. To accommodate those on waiting lists, we started an extra course in Typewriting and Tray Painting and we are going to open a new course in Upholstery in January, 1952. There seems to be no doubt whatsoever that the demand for educational opportunities for adults is an ever increasing one. Our average attendance from October to December of this year is the best yet.

Classes are held in the evening at the High School, Junior High Industrial Arts and Junior High School East, except for one afternoon class in Rug Hooking. The courses are classified as Practical Art Classes with the exception of Typewriting. Arlington can expect reimbursement up to 50% for expenses incurred according to the provisions of Chapter 74 of the General Laws of the Commonwealth and some Federal funds as described in the George-Barden Act. It is interesting to note that considering reimbursements the program of Adult Education in Arlington is costing about \$5.00 per pupil.

It should be mentioned also that courses in Auto, Machine and Radio Shops in the Trade Extension department, under the direction of Mr. Harry Patterson, Principal of the Vocational High School, have proved very popular. The enrollment in these courses, which are held in the High School shops, has taxed our facilities.

In this year, as in the past, we have provided educational opportunities for our foreign born population. We are offering two courses, one in Beginner's English in which we have 25 persons enrolled, and one in Citizenship in which there are 12 persons enrolled. At present

we have 10 nationalities represented in these two classes which meet at the High School twice each week from 7 to 9 P.M. This office receives notification at regular intervals of all new foreign born arrivals in Arlington from the Department of Immigration and Naturalization. Immediately upon receipt of such notices, we send a printed notice and invitation to our classes in Beginner's English and Citizenship. Thus we endeavor to extend these opportunities to all of our non-citizen population in an effort to encourage them in becoming citizens of the United States and loyal, civic-minded members of our community.

From the Report of the Principal of the High School:

The need for adequate facilities for physical education for both girls and boys is well known. The problem of what to do with the unfinished Lowe Auditorium persists. Eventually the Town will be ready to meet these needs. I would like to suggest that steps be taken to obtain a master plan for completing the High School plant. A survey to determine the probable educational needs of the High School in the future should first be made. A study of how such needs could be met by adapting the facilities of the present buildings and by adding space should follow. Expert help should be employed to assist with or to complete this project.

The redecorating that has been going on for three years is greatly appreciated and I hope that it will be continued this year. I believe that the improved appearance of the buildings has been an important factor in improving the general morale of the pupils and increasing pride in the school. Fluorescent lights improve the lighting where they have been installed. We hope that eventually we may have them in all rooms. The partial surfacing of the parking area helps and we hope that it may be extended.

Each year the department heads, the Guidance Department, and the administrative staff meet to consider improvements in what we teach, either by adding or deleting entire courses or by changing the subject matter of existing courses. This year we offered the three additional language courses. We are currently considering a unified, practical course in science for non-college pupils to replace the non-college biology, chemistry and physics. We are planning an experiment in ninth-grade French for next year. We are considering changes in the content of several courses to more nearly meet the needs of pupils who are in the general course.

There are a number of needs which we clearly recognize, but which we cannot meet satisfactorily under existing conditions. To list a few: remedial reading on many ability levels; corrective work in physical education for girls and facilities to expand the work we have begun with the boys; broader opportunities in handwork for boys who cannot meet the standards of the Vocational School; and a better program for the pupils who are passed along from the Junior High Industrial Arts School without ability to do high school subjects.

Until a year ago the athletic program was supported almost entirely by gate receipts, except for coaching salaries. The law which went into effect in October, 1950, provided that all receipts be de-

posited with the Town Treasurer, all payments be authorized by the School Committee, and permitted the Town to appropriate money for the athletic program. The cost of the athletic program for 1951 was estimated at about twelve thousand dollars. We had about three thousand on hand and the Town Meeting appropriated nine thousand. If we had carried on the program without this appropriation we would now be several thousand dollars in debt as receipts from football this year were not as large as in the past. Comparison with other towns has convinced me that our athletic budget is conservative. Receipts in other towns also have decreased this year. Without the supplementing Town appropriation, we would not be able to carry on an adequate athletic program next year.

The current defense program indicates that eventually most of our boys will serve in the Armed Forces. The content of many courses is influenced by what we think will be needed for such service. The Guidance counsellors and others urge pupils to be prepared in work which is especially adapted to the needs of the services such as mathematics, science, English, and physical fitness. We recommend a stay-in-school policy and encourage all youth to remain in school until graduation. This is in accordance with a program proposed by the Committee on the Relation of Secondary Education to National Security.

In addition we are unifying work in our American history and problems of democracy classes this year to provide a teaching unit treating with the individual's place in the defense program and presenting as definitely as possible the factors of the world situation as they will affect our pupils within the next few years. We hope also to have some assemblies for the older boys to give them first-hand information about their responsibilities under the Draft Law, what they may anticipate upon entering the service, and the opportunities open to them under the defense program.

Two decades ago the relations of a large school with the parents and community were much more limited than today. We have greatly expanded our contacts with the community which we serve and with the parents of our pupils. I would like to list some of the things which are being done in a quiet, unpretentious way which we feel are of great benefit to our pupils. We have invited speakers from industry to visit classes to relate our teaching to their needs. A member of the Police Department spent a day with the problems of democracy classes discussing his work. He also presented an assembly program about safe driving. A group of our pupils is active in a United Nations program under the sponsorship of the head of the social studies department. Some made a trip to the United Nations Headquarters in New York. We are holding series of assemblies at which business and professional people meet with our pupils to advise them about opportunities for careers and employment. We have a definite program of placement for our graduates and for placing pupils in part-time work while in school.

We hold Open House four times a year to give parents special opportunity to meet the teachers. Consultations are encouraged at all times. The Guidance Department reports increasing numbers of parents each year who consult the counsellors. A current estimate is

that they have personal contact with over fifty per cent of the parents of our pupils. A special message about school affairs is sent home with each report card. I hope to increase the progress we have made in relating the school life to the parents and community.

School Cafeterias:

Our three school cafeterias continue to operate under the National School Lunch Program. The daily meal served to the students consists of meat, fish or substitute, two vegetables, bread, dessert, and one-half pint of milk. This is a very substantial meal and is sold for twenty-five cents. In order to finance it, we receive assistance from two sources. First, we receive from the Federal Government a subsidy of nine cents for each hot meal served, and two cents for each half-pint of milk sold apart from the complete meal. An additional form of assistance from the Federal Government is a monthly allotment of commodities. Our second source of assistance is from a Town appropriation. Until 1950 we had not found it necessary to ask for an appropriation for school lunchrooms, but these past two years have brought steady increases in the cost of food and labor operation. In addition, the Federal Government has been gradually withdrawing assistance by eliminating some of the important commodities we had formerly received. The Federal Government sets the requirements for the type and quantity of food to be served and the price to be paid by the student. In order to fulfill these requirements and give our students the opportunity of having a hot, nourishing meal for twenty-five cents, we have to ask for a larger Town appropriation in 1952.

The Music Program:

The music objective in our schools is to arouse, stimulate and increase the enjoyment of children in participating in musical activities through the medium of the voice, rhythmic responses and intelligent listening. A noteworthy development in the music department is the use of the audio visual aids. Filmstrips, movies and records are used to develop auditory discrimination. These aids help to increase a child's musical repertory and the recognition of similarities and differences in the music world. It also encourages music reading and research, and offers a criteria to the quality of listening. Of particular importance is the continued support of the school administrators along with our P.T.A. Fine Arts Council in a cooperative effort to achieve a more satisfactory solution to the problem of improving the music background through the Fine Arts Programs held during the year.

In May five of our musical organizations, composed of 225 students, participated in the Massachusetts State Music Festival in Marblehead. The High School orchestra received an Honor I (Superior) rating in Class A. The High School girls' glee club received an Honor II (Excellent) rating in Class A. The combined Junior High School orchestras received an Honor I (Superior) rating in Class D. The combined Elementary School band received an Honor I (Superior) rating in Class E. The High School band received an Honor II (Excellent) rating in Class A. On May 25 the elementary instrumental classes gave their Eighth Annual Spring Concert at the High School. Approximately 300 song flute pupils, 150 pupils studying band instruments, 50 string students and 9 pupils from the piano classes took part in this concert.

For Services Rendered:

During this past year, the Arlington Schools lost the valuable services of Miss Mary A. Keefe, a loyal and devoted employee. As secretary and head clerk in the Office of the Superintendent of Schools, Miss Keefe served six superintendents from 1914 until her passing in June, 1951. Her work, the product of diligent, persistent devotion to duty, was of exemplary quality. In achieving these high standards and because of her numerous responsibilities, Miss Keefe worked many long hours beyond those required. Despite ill health and frequent hospitalization in the past several years, she nevertheless persistently attempted to maintain those standards of efficiency and quality which characterized her work in the past. Miss Keefe's loyalty, devotion to duty, and wise counsel has indeed contributed to the efficient functioning of the schools of Arlington.

Conclusion:

In conclusion, may I express to the School Committee, to all fellow workers in the department and to other officials, my appreciation for your kind help and support.

Respectfully submitted,

CLIFFORD R. HALL

Superintendent of Schools

Annual Report of the Trustees of the Robbins Library for the Year 1951

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***HERBERT FREEMAN
EDWARD CATERINO
NORMAND J. PARADIS

*Resigned

**Appointed to fill unexpired term

***Retired

****Deceased

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE ROBBINS LIBRARY

The culture of the community is built around its schools and libraries. The individual citizen looks to his library as the place where he can find the books or periodicals he wants for leisure reading. The student looks to his library for his supplemental and reference reading. Other citizens look to their library as a repository of information helpful in their vocation or avocation. Still others look to their library for music in the printed or record form.

The Robbins Library this past year has added a cultural value to the community in the form of a record library. The Librarian's report will show how enthusiastically this department has been received by the townspeople. It has been most pleasing to the Trustees.

The Trustees set the policy of the Robbins Library. This policy is carried out by the Staff under the direction of the Librarian. On February 9, 1951, Mrs. Lucinda F. Spofford retired as Librarian after twenty-three years of service, marked by continual progress over the years. In her place the Trustees appointed Miss Judith E. Stromdahl, Librarian of the Weston Public Library from 1946 to 1951 and former Supervisor of Work with Children in the Lynn Public Library. After a year in which to observe Miss Stromdahl's work, the Trustees feel they have chosen well. Other changes in personnel are covered in the Librarian's report.

For some years the Board has been concerned with the crowded condition in the Main Library. For advice, the Trustees retained the services of Mr. Joseph Wheeler, for many years Librarian of the Enoch Pratt Library in Baltimore, and co-author of the authoritative book "The American Public Library Building". Mr. Wheeler's survey con-

tained a fund of valuable and constructive suggestions for long term planning. A few of Mr. Wheeler's suggestions have already been put into effect and others will become effective as funds are available.

The two most noticeable improvements to the physical plant (not in Mr. Wheeler's survey) are the addition of beautiful bronze doors to the Children's Library and the establishment of a parking area in front of the main building. This latter work was done by the Public Works Department.

At the March Town Meeting, upon recommendation by a committee on a Branch Library in East Arlington, it was voted to acquire title to three stores located on Massachusetts Avenue at the corner of Cleveland Street. The Trustees will present to the 1952 Town Meeting a plan to convert these three stores (the middle one of which is now used as a Branch Library) into a larger and more adequate unit.

In October, after nine years of service to the Town as Trustee, six years as Chairman, Mr. Wilson D. Clark, Jr., resigned. The services of Mr. Clark, a man of sound judgement, integrity and good humor, are a distinct loss to the Library. In his place, the remaining Trustees in joint meeting with the Selectmen, appointed Mr. John B. Fox, Assistant Dean of Harvard School of Business Administration, to fill the unexpired term.

The Trustees always welcome constructive criticism from their fellow townspeople.

Trustees of the Robbins Library

ROSCOE O. ELLIOTT, *Chairman.*

Report of the Librarian for the Year 1951

THE ANNUAL REPORT OF THE ROBBINS LIBRARY FOR 1951 IS HEREWITH PRESENTED:

During 1951, the libraries all over the state of Massachusetts observed the 100th Anniversary of the first permissive Public Library Service Law ever to be enacted—a law which gave Massachusetts' cities and towns the right to expend public funds for the establishment and support of Public Libraries. During these past one hundred years, the progress of the American Public Library has been gratifying and significant and today the Public Library is recognized as an integral part of the life of the community. It has an important function to perform. "It is the educational influence that has the entire population of the community, regardless of age, as its adherents. . . It must be ready to help maintain and interpret democracy".

During the past century, the idea of libraries has changed. No longer is the library a dark, forbidding building filled with books, a quiet retreat among the books of the past. No longer is the librarian merely a custodian of books guarding the book collection from loss or damage, or a genteel old lady whose only qualification for the position of librarian being her love of reading or her need of a ladylike position to support herself.

Today, libraries are housed in modern buildings, and are equipped to serve young and old of all races and all creeds—all who wish to study and to borrow books to help them in their daily work, in their plans, in their thinking and in their lives. Its books, periodicals, and other sources of information are constantly being replenished by additions that reflect the progress and needs of the times. And today, the public is served by trained librarians well qualified to serve its needs, capable assistants with college and library school training.

The need for good library service in Arlington is evident. The United States' census figures show that Arlington is a town with a population of better than average intelligence, at least as measured by the number of years of schooling. The most recent figures on this subject show that 22 percent of the whole population have been through college or high school. With a population of this type, the demands made on the library resources are great indeed.

In this day of radio, television and other competing interests do the people of Arlington use their Library? According to the records for 1951, they do! Following is a brief resumé of the year's work.

CIRCULATION

During 1951, the people of Arlington borrowed 267,997 volumes (not including records), a gain of 5,640 over 1950. Of this number 177,796 books were borrowed by adults and 90,201 by children. Every department, with the exception of the adult department at the Main Library

showed an increase. The loss in circulation at the Main Desk began to show during 1950 and was heaviest during the early part of 1951. This loss decreased in proportion as the months passed by until in November a gain in circulation was again evident. It is hoped this trend will continue.

Many reasons could contribute to this loss in circulation, but the most probable one is the coming of television to a larger number of homes in Arlington. But, just as in the early days of radio, when the novelty wears off, and the people become used to this exciting medium of communication, they will choose their programs with more selectivity and watch only their favorite programs and once again find time for some of their former activities. Just as television can work against reading, so can it stimulate and introduce people to books. An example of this is the experience of the book publishers, Doubleday and Company, who received in one day 11,000 one dollar bills as a result of the televizing of Dón Gnagy's book *HOW TO DRAW*, which the Robbins Library has in its collection.

Following is a breakdown in the circulation figures:—

Circulation total			267,977
Adult		177,796	
Juvenile		90,201	
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		267,977	
Circulation total 1950		<hr/>	262,357
Circulation gain in 1951			5,640
	1951	Loss	Gain
Main Library			
Adult	129,552	8,783	
Juvenile	34,991		370
Dallin Branch			
Adult	19,955		359
Juvenile	15,686		2,288
East Branch			
Adult	26,983		6,400
Juvenile	21,638		2,466
Schools			
Juvenile	17,886		1,945
Hospital			
Adult	1,306		595
Total	267,997	8,783	14,423

What type of books circulated during the year? There was the customary demand for new titles, both fiction and non-fiction, including such titles as *THE CAINE MUTINY*, *THE CRUEL SEA*, *KON-TIKI*, *SNOZZOLA*, *FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE*, *THE SEA AROUND US*, *THE END OF THE AFFAIR*, and *DIZZY*, to mention just a few. Mystery stories are always in demand as are books on the High School and College reading lists. But it was also interesting to note that books on education, the social sciences, history, and "how-to-do-it" books showed a decided gain in popularity.

SERVICE TO ADULTS

1. INTER-LIBRARY LOAN SERVICE.

In order to help borrowers locate material they needed but which was not included in the collection of the Robbins Library, the Library continued to borrow books through the Inter-Library loan service. During 1951, 195 books were secured for the use of Arlington residents from Newton, Waltham, Winchester, Boston, Medford, Lexington, Somerville, Watertown and the Division of Public Libraries, to mention a few of the cooperating libraries. The subjects covered a range of material including Foreign language books, choric reading, books on education, speech correction, guidance, problems of youth, business management, artesian wells, stock market, English poetry, reading improvement, etc.

2. REFERENCE SERVICE.

Reference work is an important part of the work of any public library and requires the services of librarians skilled in the use of books and reference tools and with a wide general knowledge. The reference librarian doesn't have to know the answers, but she must know where to locate them. During the past year several thousand reference questions were answered by the Reference Department; 4,319 were recorded. Unquestionably many more were asked and answered. These questions covered a wide range as can be seen from the following samples:

Diagram of the organization of the United Nations; How to form a partnership or corporation; Teacher certification laws; Description of a housewarming; Criticism of *Piers Ploughman*; Religion in Latin America in colonial times; What is a sea leopard; Information on the "Women's International League for peace and freedom"; Information about reincarnation; Pictures of costumes and hair styles of Japanese women; Traffic management; Bibliography of books about America for a resident of Greece; How to construct an artesian or driven well; Composition and properties of aluminum; Home of the Arlington author and critic who lived around Pleasant Street and died in 1939; The reason for the name 'Vinegar' Bible which is in the Old North Church.

During the past year the Reference Librarian also located material to help college students prepare term papers, compiled bibliographies for study groups, located material for P. T. A. and Church groups and checked booklists for people on various subjects.

In order to make the reference service of the Robbins Library as useful as possible to business people and industrialists, several new services were added to the collection during the past year, outstanding of which were the Moody's Investor Service, which covers Industrials, Banks and Finance, Railroads, Public Utilities, Stocks and Bonds. The use made of these volumes shows that they are much appreciated by the borrowers of the Robbins Library. Other features which have been added are the Congressional Quarterly, giving accurate, up-to-date information on Congress and its activities; Barron's Weekly; Kiplinger Washington Letter; the Consumer Reports and Taxes magazine.

Recognizing the need for up-to-date material on a variety of current subjects, the Library has recently subscribed to a Vertical File Service which will help to build up a more adequate pamphlet file.

3. MUSIC COLLECTION.

One of the most satisfying results of the year was the success of the Record Collection which was made available in October. For several years the Library had felt a need for such a collection and in 1951 provision was made in the budget for this purpose. In her report for October the Music Librarian wrote "We have had an overwhelming response to the records . . . everyone has been delighted with the opportunity to borrow them and countless comments have been made about the pleasure and appreciation of the public towards this new service offered by the Library."

As of December 31st, the Record Library consists of 299 albums, 145 albums of the shellac records and 154 of the LP; all but 7 of the LP's are 33 1/3. These seem more suitable for the Library collection as they are used primarily for classical music.

As the year closed, the Record Library had been in operation for three months. During this time 1828 albums and 4254 records have been borrowed by the townspeople. On the albums there has been a 626 percent circulation. Quoting again, the Music Librarian says "This response to the Music Library has been especially gratifying and although there is need for many more albums, at least a beginning has been made to give the public of Arlington the kind of service it has wanted for some time."

This record collection is housed in the Art and Music Room on the mezzanine floor and is in charge of a Librarian whose training well qualifies her for her work. In addition to the records, the Art and Music Room is equipped with a record machine with two sets of ear phones for the use of the listening public. The department also contains a music and art file as well as a great many scores. Since it opened in October, 163 scores have been circulated, 58 pamphlets, 83 librettos and 133 pieces of sheet music, while 464 reference questions have been answered.

4. HOSPITAL SERVICE.

Once each week during the past year a member of the Library Staff has visited the patients at the Symmes Arlington Hospital offering

those who are convalescent a choice of reading materials, books or magazines. This is not a new service, but was begun in 1942 and since that time 8,865 books and magazines have been read by the patients. During the year 1951, 50 calls were made; 1,279 patients were visited and 1,316 books and magazines were circulated. In her yearly report the Hospital Librarian wrote "At the present time our circulation is increasing and we find we are accommodating more and more people. The patients as well as the Staff seem pleased with our service, and we have had every courtesy extended us. Many of the Staff members have gone out of their way to be helpful."

WORK WITH YOUNG PEOPLE

One of the most important groups which the Library should serve is the Young People's group, often made up of boys and girls too old for the Children's Room but not ready to use the Adult Department without some guidance. "It is a group that is full of vitality, interest and a spirit of doing, and, if ignored, will drift away seeking less worthwhile interests. The possibility for service to this group has no limits and is full of challenge." In working with them, the Library can do a great deal to develop a thinking group of citizens and can provide a worthy use of leisure for them.

Recognizing these facts the Robbins Library made a number of innovations in the interests of this age group during 1951. First of all the services of a competent Librarian who understands Young People was secured to devote her full time to this group. Under her leadership a live collection of books for reading pleasure as well as books to help with school work has been selected and placed in the Young People's Alcove. Into this group of Young People have been welcomed the 9th graders, who until June 1951 have been expected to use the Junior Library exclusively.

The response to this effort has been most heartwarming. More and more the Young People are turning to the Young People's Librarian for suggestions and guidance and she is helping them to find their way around the Library and make best use of its facilities.

WORK WITH CHILDREN

The work with children has been a bright spot during the past year. In spite of television and all other forms of amusement and activity which today fill the lives of the young, the boys and girls of Arlington are still reading as the gain of 5,124 in children's circulation over 1950 indicates.

Among the activities carried on in the interests of the children by the Junior Library and the Branches during the past year were the most successful Everyland Clubs which held meetings during the summer months with an attendance of 895 children. Pre-school and kindergarten children were introduced to the Library in a series of 4 Picture Story Book Hours at the Main Library with 97 little ones and 56 adults attending, and story hours were held at both Junior Library and the Branches with a total attendance of 1,638.

An outstanding event which took place during the Massachusetts Public Library Week Celebration in May, was a Radio Quiz Party for the 45 Young Librarians who help the Children's Librarian care for the Library books loaned to the elementary school libraries. Each school was represented by 3 members in the quizdown which was transcribed for presentation over a local Radio Station and the three winners each received a copy of a prize book.

During Book Week special programs and story hours were arranged, the highlight being a Puppet Show presented in the Junior Library Hall by Miss Edna Boutwell, Children's Librarian from Woburn, to a capacity audience.

Work with the Schools was carried on as usual. As in the past the school libraries were served by books from the Junior Library Book Collection, a total of 3,110 volumes being on permanent deposit in five school libraries. These collections, cared for by the student librarians under the supervision of the Children's Librarian, were supplemented by deposits throughout the year to 19 different classrooms in the school system. These books in the Schools realized a circulation of 17,886 a gain of 1,945 over the previous year.

Another aspect of the work with the schools was the cooperation given in the matter of book reports. 348 certificates were issued to children for the reading of selected library books in connection with their school work.

Throughout the year children were given individual attention in selecting their books, reference questions were answered by the hundreds, advice was given to parents on their children's reading and on the selection of reference materials for the children in the homes. Booklets were compiled and book talks were given by the Children's and Branch Librarians. In truth, the Junior Library and the Children's Departments of the Branches have been busy spots. The growth of the work with children clearly indicates another assistant, trained in children's works, is imperative to carry on this important work.

BRANCH SERVICE

Each Branch Library reported a gain in circulation for the year in both juvenile and adult books. At the Dallin Branch, according to the Branch Librarian, the figures for the year show that 1951 was the most active year since 1942. 35,641 volumes were circulated, 2,647 more than in 1950. An interesting event took place at the Branch during Massachusetts Public Library Week when the Dallin Branch held a most enjoyable Open House with a program presented by the Division of Public Libraries and a display of paintings by local artists.

The East Branch Library, too, had a busy year with the largest circulation in its history. A total of 8,666 more volumes were distributed in 1951 than in 1950, the total circulation being 48,621, of which 21,638 volumes were juvenile books.

There is absolutely no doubt about the fact that this Branch has outgrown its present quarters and needs more space to carry on its work. It needs additional staff as well. According to American Library Association Standards the Library Staff should include one professional assistant for every 20,000 books circulated. In the light of this, the East Branch is absolutely understaffed.

OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

1. During the year several changes have been made in the arrangement of books at the Main Library. During the summer months, the stacks were completely rearranged in numerical sequence so that today any stranger or new borrower can easily locate any book he needs. This was done at a considerable inconvenience to the public, but the Staff hopes the borrowers feel the results more than recompense them for the discomfort experienced.

The Town Histories and vital statistics, as well as the bound volumes of newspapers were transferred to the Basement where they are available for use by anyone who wishes to use them. The music books were transferred to the room on the mezzanine level to form the Art and Music Room.

2. As in the past, the Library Halls have been much in demand by civic and community organizations. The Junior Library Hall was used on 127 occasions, the Small Hall or Committee Room 140 times and 22 meetings were held in other rooms of the Library. These figures do not include the use which the Library made of the halls for story hours and other purposes.

3. In November a Greater Books Discussion Group was organized which has met in the Junior Library every other Wednesday evening, under the leadership of Mr. Klaus Epstein of Harvard University.

4. A number of Art Exhibits have been shown, notably those of the Public School Art Classes, the Menotomy Art Center, and the series of showings by local artists arranged by the Woman's Club.

5. On Sunday afternoon, November 4th, the Arlington Woman's Club held its Fine Arts Tea which attracted a large group of interested people from Arlington and the surrounding towns. Most attractive exhibits including hand weaving, hooked rugs, decorated trays, and painted china as well as a display of paintings by local artists, highlighted the affair. Of special interest too, was the exhibit of musical instruments and the shellcraft hobby display, both of which were loaned by Arlington citizens.

6. During the year the Library received a number of gifts of books, many of which have not yet been processed, due to lack of sufficient Staff help. The Library is always grateful for gifts of usable books. Other gifts have been received as well, including flowers, pictures and pamphlets, gifts which have been most welcome.

PERSONNEL

Many changes in Personnel have taken place during the year. Mrs. Lucinda F. Spofford, after 23 years of devoted service during which time the Library grew to its present size and influence in the community, retired on February 9th and was succeeded by the present Librarian, Miss Judith E. Stromdahl.

The resignations of the following Staff members became effective at various times during the year: Mrs. Arpine L. Baghdoyan, Mrs. Ruth Fuller Webb, Miss Shirley Hession, Mrs. Suzanne Molloy and Mrs. Marianna Rowe. To fill the vacancies incurred by these resignations the following Staff members were appointed: Mrs. Joan H. Butler, School of Library Science, Syracuse University; Mrs. Signe Hynson, Goucher College; Mrs. Evelyn Colcord, Library School, New Jersey College for Women; Miss Rita Zakarian, Tufts College and graduate work at Harvard University; Miss Dolores T. Varello.

Mr. Normand J. Paradis was appointed Junior Custodian to fill the position made vacant by the death of Mr. Herbert Freeman, a loyal employee for a number of years.

During the year a number of Staff members have taken graduate courses and have thereby increased their value to the Robbins Library. For 7 weeks during the summer, Miss Harriet L. Taylor, a graduate of Boston University, studied at the School of Library Science at Simmons College and has continued with her studies during the past fall, while Mrs. Signe Hynson, Goucher College, has been enrolled for a course at the same school during the fall semester.

A WORD OF APPRECIATION

1. Newspapers.

To the editors of the local newspapers the Librarian wishes to express her appreciation for the excellent publicity given the Robbins Library during the past year. This cooperation is much valued.

2. A word of appreciation to Mr. John N. Loud, 28 Draper Avenue, for his generosity in keeping the Library supplied with envelope bags for use on rainy days. These bags serve to protect books from damage in stormy weather.

3. Staff.

The success of the work of any institution depends, in large part, upon the Staff. During the past year, in spite of extra demands made on them because of Staff shortages, the members have given cooperative and willing service, and deserve much credit for the success of the work. The Librarian is most grateful for their help and kindnesses.

4. Trustees.

Every library reflects its Board of Trustees, for in the final analysis, the success or failure of the Library is due to the efforts of the Board members in furthering the development of library resources in the community. The Town of Arlington can look with pride on its Board of Library Trustees, the members of which give freely of their time and energy and are vitally interested in the educational and social welfare of the Town. The Librarian is grateful to the members who served during the past year for their interest and invaluable help. It has been a pleasure for her to work with this group of alert and forward looking citizens and she herewith expresses her appreciation of their cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

JUDITH E. STROMDAHL

Librarian

January 10, 1952.

STATISTICAL REPORT

Population served		43,984
Number of days open in 1951		287
	1950	1951
Number of volumes beginning of year	83,375	86,928
Number of volumes purchased	5,739	5,358
Number of volumes donated	236	141
Number of volumes bound, etc.	17	9
Number of volumes lost and returned	28	12
Total books added	6,020	5,520
Number of volumes lost and withdrawn	2,467	2,406
Net amount of volumes added	3,553	3,114
Number of volumes at end of year	86,928	90,042

REGISTRATION

Number of registered borrowers December 31	20,186	21,529
Number of borrowers registered during year	2,338	2,266
Registration period 3 years		

LOANED FOR USE

Number of volumes of fiction	160,097	163,357
Number of volumes of non-fiction	102,260	104,640
Number of volumes loaned	262,357	267,997

PERIODICALS

Number of Periodicals and Newspapers received		
Titles	222	226
Copies	306	307

RECORDS

Number of Albums circulated	1,828
Number of Records circulated	4,254

APPROPRIATION BY THE TOWN	\$ 88,428.55
Personal Services	\$ 60,428.55
Expenses	28,000.00

EXPENDITURES

Salaries — Librarians	50,925.37
Salaries — Custodians	8,898.06
Total	59,823.43

Expenses —

Books	11,449.42	
Periodicals	1,178.27	
Bindery	2,562.89	
Records	500.48	
Building & Grounds	2,097.77	
Fuel	2,812.63	
Light	1,824.53	
Telephone	618.58	
Other expenses	3,551.22	
Rent	525.00	
Total	27,120.79	

TOTAL APPROPRIATION SPENT	86,944.22
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Balance from Town Appropriation returned	1,484.33
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Salaries	605.12
Expenses	879.21
	<u>1,484.33</u>

Moneys received from Fines, etc., returned to Town	3,353.86
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TOTAL COST OF MAINTENANCE 1951

	Town Appropriation	Funds	Capital Outlay	Total
Salaries	59,823.43			59,823.43
Books	11,449.42	7.48		11,456.90
Periodicals	1,178.27			1,178.27
Bindery	2,562.89			2,562.89
Records	500.48	477.29		977.77
Building & Grounds	2,097.77	4,719.13	2,260.60	9,077.50
Fuel	2,812.63			2,812.63
Light	1,824.53			1,824.53
Telephone	618.58			618.58
All others	3,551.22	341.95		3,893.17
Rent	525.00			525.00
Microfilm			350.00	350.00
Total ..	<u>86,944.22</u>	<u>5,545.85</u>	<u>2,610.00</u>	<u>95,100.67</u>

Report of the Tree Warden and Superintendent of the Moth and Town House Grounds Department

January 10, 1952

The Honorable Board of Selectmen
Arlington, Massachusetts

Gentlemen:

I herewith submit my report as Tree Warden and Superintendent of the Moth and Town House Grounds Departments for the year ending December 31, 1951.

Tree Warden Department

During the year 411 trees were planted on new streets that were constructed in 1950 and also in various sections of the Town to replace trees that had died or for some other reason had to be removed.

Public Hearings were held on petitions of property owners for the removal of fifteen trees for various reasons; of these, thirteen were removed and two petitions were denied. The Joint Board of Selectmen and Public Works ordered out twelve trees due to construction of new streets and sidewalks.

A continuation of our program of trimming and raising trees to alleviate obstruction from high delivery trucks and buses traveling along our highways is still in progress. We still continue to get requests each year for trimming and cutting back trees that are growing close to houses and overhanging roofs and porches; so it seems that we must make this a part of our program from year to year.

During the course of the year many severe windstorms did serious damage to our trees which required surgical work.

Trees were trimmed and removed for the Cemetery, School and Park Departments at the request of the respective Boards and Department Heads.

A new Dodge Truck, equipped with a Winch and Pole Derrick, was purchased this year to replace a 1946 Truck. This equipment has proved to be very valuable, especially in the removal of heavy logs and stumps of trees.

The motor equipment of the Department was used by the Public Works Department during the winter months for snow plowing, snow removal and sanding whenever requested by the Superintendent.

Gypsy and Brown Tail Moth Departments

The regular spraying schedule of this Department was carried on as usual with extra special efforts being made to combat the Dutch Elm Disease. During the year twelve cases of this disease were found in Arlington, making a total of fifteen that has been found to date. Even though this figure is relatively small compared to 11,517 trees that have been afflicted in the state, every precaution must be taken so it will not spread further. At the present writing there is no known cure for the disease outside of removal of the trees and burning them up. Spraying at the proper time and a continuation of our sanitation program will still be adhered to in the future.

The Japanese Beetle continues to be a major problem as it is in every community surrounding us, and we are making a concentrated effort to control them.

A very heavy infestation of Aphis again invaded the Town this year and in sections where it was the heaviest, the trees were sprayed with Nicotine.

Many requests were received at this office for Poison Ivy spraying and where it was possible it was taken care of. There are many locations where spraying is impossible because of certain vegetation.

All main streets and many of the side streets had to be sprayed in the early morning hours because of heavy traffic conditions in the middle of the day.

There were 801 private estates sprayed on request of property owners; who in turn, made a remittance to the Town for the cost of the work.

Menotomy Rocks Park was again sprayed this year by airplane and very favorable results were obtained from it.

Town House Grounds

As has been the custom in past years, the personnel of the Tree Warden and Moth Departments maintain the grounds bordering the Town Hall and Robbins House.

The regular maintenance of the grounds and shrubbery was attended to as usual. Replacements of some of the plants and trees had to be made in the Spring because of Winter killing.

Due to the Patriot's Day celebration, which attracted an enormous crowd of adults and children, the men of the Department had to rope off the entrance to the Town Hall and police the grounds.

A permanent watchman was employed during the summer months to patrol the grounds every evening as well as all day Saturdays, Sundays and Holidays.

The bases of the fountains on the front platform of the Hall were planted with flowers again this year and as usual, many favorable comments were received about them.

Snow removal from the front platform of the Hall, the walks through the grounds, also the parking areas at the Town Hall and Robbins House comes under the jurisdiction of this Department.

The parking area in the rear of the Town Hall was enlarged this year to accomodate more cars. This project was let out on contract to R. W. Balam Co. of Brighton, Mass.

In conclusion, I wish to gratefully acknowledge the cooperation given me by the Board of Selectmen and its staff, the personnel of this Department and all other Departments of the Town.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE M. DOLAN

Tree Warden & Superintendent of
Moth & Town House Grounds
Departments

LIST OF JURORS

Revised and approved by the Board of Selectmen, January 7, 1952,
in accordance with Section 4, Chapter 234 of the General Laws.

Name	Occupation	Residence
Abbott, Earl	Welder	19A Lafayette Street
Abbott, John T.	Engineering	49 Sunnyside Avenue
Abboud, Kevin B.	Salesman	17 Melrose Street
Adams, Charles L., Jr.	Auditor	70 Harlow Street
Adams, Dewey C.	Clerk	94 Old Mystic Street
Ahearn, Martin E.	Artist	55 Cleveland Street
Aherne, Francis E.	Civil Engineer	83 Bay State Road
Aitken, James M.	Engineer	133 Mt. Vernon Street
Alexander, John C.	Office Manager	68 Trowbridge Street
Ames, Elwood	Insurance	52 George Street
Angus, Henry G.	Dist. Mgr.	49 Allen Street
Anstey, Owen	Elec. Drafting	25 Highland Avenue
Antworth, Charles R.	Machinist	80 Gloucester Street
Atwood, Leila B.	Secretary	215 Forest Street
Atwood, Newton	Weigher	39 Trowbridge Street
Austin, Leo H.	Claim Collector	29 Cypress Road
Averill, Harriet G.	Bookkeeper	15 Newman Way
Bailey, William E.	Stock Broker	37 Pleasant View Road
Banks, B. Elwin	Proprietor	127 Florence Avenue
Banks, Ida S.	Accountant	21 Bates Road
Barker, Forrest W.	Accountant	69 Huntington Road
Barnard, Edwin A.	Office Manager	61 Cleveland Street
Barrett, Gordon E.	Broker	29 Fairview Avenue
Baseman, Harry	Proprietor	9 Alton Street
Batchelor, William S.	Machinist	2 Edith Street
Bates, Robert L.	Manager	75 Mott Street
Bates, Roderick D.	Elec. Engineer	200 Cedar Avenue
Bean, Warren M.	Carpenter	145 Charlton Street
Beck, Edward S.	Mech. Engineer	64 Chester Street
Begley, John J.	Insurance	2 Belton Street
Behnke, Charles J.	Machinist	80 Highland Avenue
Belliveau, Joseph O.	Instructor	68 Brooks Avenue
Bennett, Richard W.	Insurance	161 Gray Street
Bergkuist, Roy C.	Insurance	17 Trowbridge Street
Bernard, Albert, Jr.	Shipper	18 River Street
Bickford, Perley W.	Machinist	17 High Haith Road
Blair, Chester E.	Foreman	123 Warren Street
Blaisdell, Robert W.	Architect	61 Colonial Drive
Blessington, Robert F.	Manager	17 Edgehill Road
Bond, Bruce G.	Writer	7 College Avenue
Bonner, John	Heating Engineer	27 Park Circle
Boone, Walter R.	Salesman	10 Cleveland Street
Bower, Richard D.	Engineer	259 Broadway
Bowker, Robert I.	Electrician	73 Harlow Street
Bradbury, Henry M., Jr.	Order Clerk	17 Orvis Road
Bradley, Morton C., Jr.	Artist	20 Maple Street
Brannan, Frederick J.	Estate Super.	87 Glenburn Road
Bretscher, Milton H.	Chemist	48 Melrose Street
Brickett, Arthur H.	Asst. Mgr.	54 Iroquois Road

Name	Occupation	Residence
Briggs, George T.	Driver.....	29 Lanark Road
Brillante, Louis P.	Hotel Manager	6 Victoria Road
Brine, Henry J.	Salesman.....	15 Orlando Avenue
Brown, John E.	Agent.....	54 Silk Street
Buck, Thomas A. H.	Mechanic	9 Daniels Street
Buckley, William E.	Process Eng.....	14 Kensington Road
Bullock, Henry P.	Clerk	63 Glenburn Road
Bundy, Robert C.	Jeweler.....	75 Chester Street
Bunton, William H.	Plumbing Supplies..	142 Highland Avenue
Burke, David	Car Inspector.....	67 Tufts Street
Burke, Edward J.	Watchman.....	62 Cleveland Street
Burke, William C.	Clerk..	74 Freeman Street
Burlick, Andrew F.	Shipper.....	785 Concord Turnpike
Burns, Frank G.	Vice Pres.....	51 Iroquois Road
Burns, John J.	Salesman....	35 Lockeland Avenue
Burse, William N.	Meat Packer	451 Appleton Street
Button, Allan R.	Plumber.....	23 Oxford Street
Byrne, Leo B.	Plumber.....	31 Franklin Street
Byron, John H.	Sales-Service....	50 Edgehill Road
Caine, George E.	Draftsman	52 Silk Street
Caliri, Rocco L.	Hospital Att... ..	58 Alpine Street
Call, John F.	Plumber	105 Lake Street
Callahan, Gerald J.	Truck Driver.....	43 Allen Street
Cammarata, Michael R.	Tailoring ..	40 Fairmont Street
Campbell, Carl E.	Toolmaker.....	89 Wright Street
Campbell, Marvin O.	Sales Manager..	61 Norfolk Road
Carbone, Arthur L.	Sign Painter.....	40 Eliot Road
Carelli, Charles	Supt... ..	41 Bates Road
Carlisle, Samuel R.	Personnel Mgr... ..	116 Mass. Avenue
Carlow, Christina	Secretary.....	79 Ronald Road
Carlson, Paul H.	Milkman.....	10 Trowbridge Street
Carlson, Walter A.	Salesman... ..	93 Churchill Avenue
Carroll, William	Barrel Dealer.....	45 Hamlet Street
Carter, Helen M.	Secretary..	1173 Mass. Avenue
Casey, Patrick J.	Bus Driver....	102 Lake Street
Catalano, Joseph P.	Printer	14 Margaret Street
Ciampa, Louis	Builder.....	96 Palmer Street
Clark, Walter L.	Salesman... ..	26 Shawnee Road
Clouter, Henry Thomas	Roofer.....	72 Tufts Street
Cobb, Carl	Grocer..	488 Appleton Street
Cody, Mary	Dressmaker....	79 Tufts Street
Cody, Thomas Joseph	Salesman ..	38 Academy Street
Coffey, Walter A.	Salesman.....	114 Newport Street
Cohen, Edward	Salesman....	32 Coleman Road
Cole, James A.	Trucking Prop.....	51 Bay State Road
Colgan, Leo A.	Gen. Mgr... ..	28 Crawford Street
Collins, Rose A.	Telephone Super....	21 C'eveland Street
Collins, Thomas H.	Shipper..	84 Brooks Avenue
Collins, Walter J.	Floor Waxer.....	25 Fairmont Street
Connors, James H.	Rubber Worker....	22 Cleveland Street
Connor, Eileen G.	Beauty Parlor Op.....	58 Pleasant Street
Connor, Roy E.	Real Estate.....	13 Belton Street
Connor, Roy E., Jr.	Photographer	13 Belton Street
Connor, Wilbert H.	Engineer.....	49. Fisher Road
Connors, Patrick J.	Bartender.....	39 Amherst Street

Name	Occupation	Residence
Connors, Susan	Store ..	86 Palmer Street
Conroy, Lillian V.	Clerk.....	59 Bay State Road
Constantine, John W.	Bank Work	25 Bowdoin Street
Conway, John P.	Painter.....	1025 Mass. Avenue
Cooke, Herbert F.	Prop. Restaurant.....	75 Trowbridge Street
Cooney, Peter J.	Iron Worker.....	84 Park Street
Corbett, Arthur M.	Oil Dealer.....	11 Magnolia Street
Corbett, Daniel L.	Foreman.....	113 Eastern Avenue
Corson, W. Bradley	Bank Clerk	25 Crescent Hill Avenue
Coughlin, Warren V. ..	Chauffeur.....	54 Tufts Street
Courtney, Eugene C.	Electrician.....	1 Cross Street
Cowie, Ralph J.	Super.....	19 Eliot Road
Coyne, Joseph M.	Clerk.....	15 Lewis Avenue
Craig, John D.	Printer.....	36 Pondview Road
Crocker, Franklin D.	Radio Tech.	34 Ashland Street
Crowley, Charles B.	Sales Agent.....	41 Teel Street
Cunningham, George A. ..	Bank Clerk	74 Dow Avenue
Cusack, James J.	Clerk	62 Park Street
Dacey, John J.	Proof Reader.....	30 Chandler Street
Dahill, John O.	Compositor ...	94 Harlow Street
Dale, Anna G.	Stenographer... ..	78 Hillsdale Road
Dale, Robert H.	Salesman.....	47 Irving Street
Daley, Charles J., Jr.	Instructor.....	73 Beacon Street
Daly, John A.	Store Manager.....	39 Mary Street
Daly, Thomas F.	Merchant	2 Langley Road
Danehy, Myles T.	Clerk.....	40 Hamlet Street
Danton, Fred C.	Clerk.....	9 Crescent Hill Avenue
Dawe, Robert	Carpenter	222 Cedar Avenue
DeBlois, Stephen W.	Elec. Eng.....	41 Kensington Road
Delaney, John J.	Foreman.....	75 Bartlett Avenue
Dennen, Mildred K.	Secretary.. ..	58 Warren Street
Devlin, Dorothy P.	Secretary.....	32 Rangeley Road
Dickie, Edith G.	Clerk.. ..	51 Ronald Road
Dodge, Hugh W.	Inspector.....	88 Appleton Street
Donovan, Edward G.	Operator	62 Rawson Road
Donovan, Katherine	Office Worker.....	62 Rawson Road
Donovan, William A.	Ins. Agent.. ..	23 Warren Street
Dooley, Richard A.	Salesman.....	12 Jean Road
Dore, John	Foreman	22 Hillside Avenue
Douglas, Robert F.	Trucking.....	4 Littlejohn Street
Downey, Anna F.	Clerk.....	74 Trowbridge Street
Driscoll, Thomas J.	Maintenance.....	10 Wyman Street
Duggan, Mary	Press Operator.. ..	23 Adams Street
Dupree, Glenn S.	Refrigeration... ..	913 Mass. Avenue
Durling, Elmer L. ..	Supervisor.....	24 Burton Street
Dwyer, Gertrude R.	Secretary... ..	26 Lockeland Avenue
Edgar, Gordon K.	Manufacturing... ..	14 Fayette Street
Edwardson, Ernestine E.	Secretary.....	31 Lockeland Avenue
Egan, Paul A.	Engineer.....	43 Warren Street
Egan, Thomas F.	Safety Engineer.. ..	21 Adams Street
Ellis, Albert W.	Machinist.....	4 Daniels Street
Ellis, George H., Jr.	Hotel Manager	7 Cleveland Street
Erb, Harold O.	Experimental Work..	143 Overlook Road

Name	Occupation	Residence
Erwin, Robert L.	Plumber	92 Chandler Street
Evans, Mabel C.	Clerk.....	8 Belknap Street
Fahey, Martin J.	Clerk	10 Ramsdell Court
Falvey, James J.	Instructor....	45 Blossom Street
Fanning, Philip J.	Marine Contractor. .	39 Bartlett Avenue
Farrow, William H.	Engineer	198 Highland Avenue
Fielding, Madeline L.	Bookkeeper.	28 Egerton Road
Fifer, Walter W.	Foreman	30 Menotomy Road
Finley, Walter J.	Personnel Mgr.....	113 Irving Street
Finley, Walter A.	Steamship Agent ..	30 Woodland Street
Fisher, Kenneth W.	Office Manager....	68 George Street
Fitzgerald, Albert	Sales	94 Grandview Road
Fitzgerald, John W.	Sales Mgr.....	86 Old Mystic Street
Fitzgibbon, Albert J.	Sales Manager	3 Field Road
Fleming, William C.	Watchmaker.	306 Appleton Street
Flett, Walter H.	Sales Mgr.....	15 Colonial Drive
Floreen, Carl E.	Florist	54 Rawson Road
Flowers, Richard H.	Proprietor.....	4 Corey Lane
Floyd, Virginia A.	Clerk	47 Ottawa Road
Flynn, Bernard J.	Manager.....	24 Elmore Street
Flynn, Francis C.	Grocer.....	55 Wyman Street
Fowler, George L.	Prod. Manager.....	22 Gray Street
Fraser, Edmund B.	Owner Bakery.....	242 Forest Street
Frederick, Anne K.	Personnel	173 Spring Street
Frederiksen, John C.	Bank Teller.....	69 Crescent Hill Avenue
Fyfe, John S.	Credit Man.....	14 Daniels Street
Gaudet, John G.	Manager	40 Fayette Street
Geary, Helen M.	Clerk.....	10 Davis Avenue
Gertson, Ingrid	Secretary.....	5 Hemlock Street
Gill, Richard	Foreman.	355 Appleton Street
Gillespie, Wilfred A.	Draftsman	5 Academy Street
Gilman, Edward A.	Engineer	28 Hopkins Road
Girone, Samuel D.	Photographer.....	13 Marathon Street
Gleason, Marian	Secretary	40 Highland Avenue
Godfrey, Charles V.	Electrician.....	62 Harlow Street
Goodwin, Elva A.	Secretary.....	27 Mt. Vernon Street
Gordon, Carl E.	Chemist	204 Mystic Street
Gordon, Francis E.	Salesman.....	61 Fisher Road
Gottwald, George J.	Engineer.	41 Blossom Street
Graham, Thomas J.	Manufacturing.	47 Warren Street
Grant, Eugene F.	Engineer.....	98 Hillside Avenue
Grebert, Charles C.	Sales Engineer ..	10 Field Road
Greco, Robert	Shipper	119 Mt. Vernon Street
Guertin, Albert E.	Insurance Agent ..	58 Milton Street
Hadlock, Calvin F.	Radio Engineer.....	41 Bellington Street
Hagg, Arthur A.	Mechanic.....	107 Bow Street
Haley, Mildred F.	Clerk.....	301 Concord Turnpike
Hall, Stephen E.	Printer.....	21 Hutchinson Road
Hallisey, John J.	Auditor.....	48 Forest Street
Hamill, John G.	Sales Manager.....	279 Mass. Avenue
Hancock, Edmund A.	Clerk	90 Bow Street
Hannabury, Thomas J.	Insurance Agent....	64 Chandler Street

Name	Occupation	Residence
Hannigan, Fred L.	Silk Spotter.	75 Bow Street
Hansis, George C.	Traffic Supt.	150 Cedar Avenue
Harrington, Charles D.	W. E. Maintenance.	69 Westminster Ave.
Hart, Frank C.	Sales Manager.	62 Alpine Street
Hayes, John F.	Oil Dealer ..	16 Colonial Drive
Healy, William F.	Salesman.	54 Cutter Hill Road
Hellmann, Harold W.	Ins. Broker.	100 Cutter Hill Road
Henderson, Charles L.	Truck Driver.	35 Cleveland Street
Herlihy, Robert E.	Clerk.	108 Medford Street
Herrick, James W.	Credit Manager.	26 Kimball Road
Hicks, Carlton	Engineer.	4 Chester Street
Hill, Dorothy C.	Ins. Clerk.	5 Belknap Street
Hill, Edward J., Jr.	Mechanic.	179 Franklin Street
Hirth, Andrew T.	Salesman ..	3 Brantwood Road
Hodgkins, Marion S.	Saleslady.	29 Ottawa Road
Hoffman, Martin L.	Traffic Manager ..	10 Fayette Street
Hoeg, G. Edwin ..	Pur. Agent.	8 Belknap Street
Holmstead, Harold B. ..	Electronics.	56 Coolidge Road
Hopper, James E.	Sales Manager ..	77 Kensington Park
Horan, James E.	Manager.	86 Marathon Street
Hosmer, Edwin K.	Manager.	123 George Street
Houghton, Harold P.	Salesman.	5 Brattle Street
Howe, James A.	Labor Relation Man.	20 High Haith Road
Hudson, Raymond P.	Salesman ..	7 Field Road
Hughes, Mary E.	Clerk.	33 Fairview Avenue
Hurley, Thomas ..	Advertising	71 Sunnyside Avenue
Jackson, Edward A.	Painter.	5 Fairmont Street
Jacobson, Allan O.	Painter.	30 Brooks Avenue
James, Rexford O.	Executive.	55 Lockeland Avenue
Jaquith, Silas A.	Engineer.	323 Appleton Street
Johnson, Allan L.	Accountant.	24 Windsor Street
Johnson, Edwin	Foreman.	66 Iroquois Road
Joyce, John J.	Carpenter.	13 Amsden Street
Kelleher, Francis J.	Baggage Man ..	134 Rawson Road
Kelleher, William H.	Salesman.	20 Bow Street
Kelly, John J.	Solicitor.	21 Bowdoin Street
Kelley, Kenneth M.	Engineer.	62 Brattle Street
Kelley, Walter H.	Dept. Head ..	31 Heard Road
Kelly, Michael H.	Sta. Engineer.	24 Argyle Road
Kenna, Thomas D.	Clerk.	90 Palmer Street
Kennedy, John	Manager.	27 Fayette Street
Kenney, Edward S.	Power Man.	7 Melrose Street
Kenney, Paul F.	Salesman.	9 Sawin Street
Kenny, Maurice R.	Restaurant.	96 Jason Street
Keyes, Clifford B.	Engineer.	10 Field Road
Kiley, Richard V.	Bank Treas.	15 Tufts Street
Kilmer, Everett D.	Chemist ..	30 Lake Shore Drive
King, Joseph A.	Printer.	7 Harold Street
Klauer, Alwin A.	Mechanic.	22 Amsden Street
Krohn, John Fred	Locksmith.	279 Mass. Avenue
LaBonte, Martha	Secretary.	20 Rockland Avenue

Name	Occupation	Residence
Laird, Margaret S.	Personnel Mgr.....	189 Forest Street
Lamothe, Henry J.	Manufacturer..	179 Jason Street
Langmead, James	Carpenter... .	18 Newport Street
Languirand, Joseph	Manager.....	44 Sherborn Street
LaPorte, George A.	Dealer.....	24 Sunnyside Avenue
Latty, Ralph M.	Printer.....	25 Aberdeen Road
Leahy, John F.	Foreman... .	11 Aberdeen Road
Leary, Francis J.	Operator.....	19 Alton Street
LeBlanc, William A.	Mechanic.....	14 Wyman Street
LeForce, Lloyd W.	Plumber. . . .	7 Fairmont Street
LeGault, Henry V.	Photographer.....	11 Field Road
Leggett, Norma R.	Stenographer..	121 Highland Avenue
Leslie, George A.	Iron Worker.....	72 Chandler Street
Leto, Lucy C.	Dressmaker.....	74 Columbia Road
Leveille, Wilfred J.	Foreman... .	70 Warren Street
Lewis, Horace O.	Salesman.....	50 Claremont Avenue
Locke, Frank E.	Lab. Tech. . . .	97 Claremont Avenue
Locke, Willard	Banker.....	25 Windemere Avenue
London, Cecil O.	Engineer.....	6 Crescent Hill Avenue
Loud, Ellsworth E. C.	Candy Man....	19 Webcowet Road
Lovell, Irving W.	Engineer... .	155 Highland Avenue
Lynch, Walter F.	Maint.	51 Elliot Road
Lyons, Helen D.	Secretary... .	10 Hillsdale Road
MacDonald, Joseph B.	Salesman... .	282 Mystic Street
MacDougal, Harry M.	Sales Engineer..	101 Churchill Avenue
MacKay, Edward C.	Carpenter... .	28 Candia Street
Mader, Charles F.	Accountant.....	74 Gloucester Street
Magel, Theodore T.	Chemist.....	60 Arlmont Street
Mann, James W.	Manager.....	108 Hutchinson Road
Manning, Alfred E.	Manager.....	54 Fairmont Street
Marcus, Irving S.	Clerk.....	47 Iroquois Road
Mardigian, Gregory G.	Machinist.....	31 Windemere Avenue
Marley, Edward F.	Electrician.....	35 Appleton Street
Martel, Edward W.	Packer... .	62 Freeman Street
Martin, John B.	Manager	151 Mary Street
Martin, Sidney W.	Statistician..	120 Highland Avenue
Martins, Alvaro	Electrotyper... .	84 Highland Avenue
McAvoy, Walter M.	Metalurgist.....	223 Mass. Avenue
McCraig, John B.	Electronic Eng.....	22 Elmore Street
McEachern, John R.	Assembler.....	19 Farrington Street
McMahon, Philip J.	Maintenance.....	243 Florence Avenue
McNeil, Ernest F.	Office Mgr.....	14 Wildwood Avenue
McNulty, Francis A.	Supt.....	2 Branch Avenue
McSorley, Wesley A., Jr.	Sales Eng... .	26 Fisher Road
Merriam, Harry W.	Bank.	36 Argyle Road
Miller, Paul H.	Insurance.....	20 Wildwood Avenue
Monagle, Catherine A.	Plastic Worker.....	9 Russell Terrace
Monahan, Eugene J.	Wholesale Fruit	31 Sawin Street
Mooney, George J.	Store Clerk... .	237 Highland Avenue
Morell, Frank S.	Underwriter.....	29 Silk Street
Morrill, Edward L.	Printer... .	36 Coolidge Road
Morrison, William	House Painter....	23 Mt. Vernon Street
Morton, Stanley W.	Salesman.....	45 Spring Street
Mullen, Joseph J.	Salesman	15 Shawnee Road

Name	Occupation	Residence
Muller, John T.	Const. Engineer	42 Cleveland Street
Mullin, Gerard J.	Salesman.....	33 Allen Street
Mullis, Harry, Jr.	Machinist.....	12 Carl Road
Munnis, Albert S.	Manufacturing.....	18 Fayette Street
Murphy, Ellen F.	Sales Clerk	25A Fairmont Street
Murphy, George R.	Agent.....	114 Rawson Road
Murphy, Humphrey J.	Tel. Maint.....	86 Chandler Street
Murphy, James J.	Insurance Broker.....	31 Draper Avenue
Nagle, Edward C., Sr.	Asst. Supt.	27 Wyman Street
Nelson, Arthur ..	Builder ..	6 Edgehill Road
Nelson, Florence W.	Clerk ...	233 Highland Avenue
Nix, Mary C.	Secretary ..	53 Fisher Road
Noble, Gillette H.	Prod. Control.....	4 Field Road
Norcott, George E.	Salesman.....	31 Orvis Road
O'Connor, William P.	Clerk.....	23 Warren Street
O'Donnell, Paul J.	Draftsman.....	52 Chester Street
Olson, Aster W.	Salesman.....	23 Amsden Street
Olson, Richard H.	Salesman	86 Alpine Street
Olson, Walter A.	Jewelry Display	7 Oldham Road
O'Neil, Robert W.	Car Loader.....	63 Warren Street
Orech, Walter F.	Super.....	67 Mary Street
O'Regan, Daniel M.	Salesman	5 Thorndike Street
O'Toole, Anne E.	Bookkeeper.....	35 Upland Road
Parker, Albert N.	Industrial Heating....	20 Woodland Street
Peterson, John R.	Engineer ..	62 Mary Street
Platt, Albert J.	Architect.....	10 Mott Street
Poole, Lindsay P.	Underwriter.....	16 Davis Avenue
Powell, Waldo I.	Printer.....	3 Huntington Road
Powers, Ralph R.	Tel. Installer.....	22 Melrose Street
Powers, William C.	Dept. Head.....	12 Burton Street
Poynton, Edward W.	Salesman..	33 Fabyan Street
Preston, John J., Jr.	Manager.....	34 Franklin Street
Prior, Howard L.	Furniture Broker....	45 Churchill Avenue
Puzella, William J.	Tailor.....	42 Sunnyside Avenue
Quinn, Arthur F.	Dispatcher ..	23 Thorndike Street
Rae, Edith I.	Bookkeeper..	287 Mass. Avenue
Rae, Ross R. ..	Manager.....	17 Shawnee Road
Rileigh, Walter A.	Stenotype Op.....	10 Burton Street
Rizzo, Ralph R.	Insurance Saleman.....	258 Florence Avenue
Robbins, Ethel M.	Secretary.....	40 Harlow Street
Rohter, Warren J.	Draftsman.....	10 Mary Street
Romley, Frederick J.	Advertising.....	14 Proprietors Way
Rowe, Richard L.	Clerk.....	21 Oak Knoll
Rudderham, Edward J.	Pipe Fitter.....	54 Irving Street
Russell, George P.	Chemist	28 Thorndike Street
Russell, William E.	Insurance.....	66 Gloucester Street
Ryan, Frank J.	Salesman....	165 Gray Stret
Ryan, James M.	MTA.....	21 Coleman Road

Name	Occupation	Residence
Sarnow, Frank W. Jr.	Civil Engineer.....	24 Tanager Street
Saul, Arthur D.	Steel Mfg.....	44 Gray Street
Saulnier, Emile J.	Carpenter.....	42 Silk Street
Saunders, George W.	Civil Eng.....	10 Buena Vista Road
Savage, John J.	Salesman..	152 Appleton Street
Schaller, John	Accountant.....	24 Foster Street
Scheidler, Henry A.	Machinist.....	14 Glen Avenue
Schmidt, Richard A.	Engineer....	29 Draper Avenue
Schmitt, Oscar ..	Radio.....	92 Lake Street
Schoefer, Alexander P.	Engineer..	137 Franklin Street
Scott, Alfred A.	Gen. Mgr.....	8 Cornell Street
Seavey, Gordon C.	Mech. Engineer.	4 Devreaux Street
Sefton, Edward E.	Dispatcher.....	28 Allen Street
Senter, Karl W.	Salesman.....	8 Elmore Street
Shannon, John J.	Accountant.....	34 Edgehill Road
Shattuck, Kenneth E.	Machinist.....	83½ Appleton Street
Shaw, George A., Jr.	Inspector.....	22A Brattle Street
Shears, Stuart T.	Engineer.....	130 Newport Street
Siekman, George A. ..	Carpenter.....	70 Alpine Street
Slade, Kenneth H., Jr.	Accountant.....	38 Edgehill Road
Slagle, Willard J.	Proprietor.....	144 Hutchinson Road
Slater, Ernest J.	Mechanic.....	107 Gloucester Street
Smillie, Howard	Salesman.....	29 Gloucester Street
Smith, James E.	Insurance ...	68 Arlmont Street
Smith, Joseph A.	Salesman.....	14 Highland Avenue
Smith, Paul W.	Accountant.....	61 Maynard Street
Smith, William H.	Service Man ..	24 Maple Street
Snow, John G.	Elec. Engineer.....	18 Morton Road
Sparks, Hollis S.	Salesman.....	94 Beacon Street
Spaulding, Kenneth L.	Milk Delivery.....	16 Eastern Avenue
Spelman, Thomas L.	Clerk..	22 Ashland Street
Sprinkle, Rex T.	Engineer.....	440 Concord Turnpike
Stanford, Josiah	Carpenter ..	36 Epping Street
Stangle, John	Foreman.....	568 Summer Street
Stanton, William J.	Time Keeper.	41 Pierce Street
Stanyan, Starr W. ..	Plant Manager....	4 Mystic Bank
Starkey, David T.	Salesman.....	42 Brunswick Road
Steele, Stanton F.	Accountant.....	68 Waverley Street
Stewart, William W.	Salesman.....	20 Central Street
Stiff, John M.	Machinist.....	53 Mt. Vernon Street
Stockman, Walter L.	Prod. Clerk..	17 Lanark Road
Strong, David L.	Banker.....	119 Hillside Avenue
Sullivan, Daniel F.	Auto Parts Supt.	94 Everett Street
Sullivan, James J.	Book Binder....	89 Grafton Street
Sullivan, John F.	Foreman.....	18 Marion Road
Sullivan, Joseph P.	Engineer.....	11 Marathon Street
Sullivan, Margaret T.	Bookkeeper.....	47 Allen Street
Sweet, Charles C.	Salesman.....	51 Marathon Street
Swift, Albert M.	Proprietor.....	15 Murray Street
Tate, Albert I.	Engraver.....	14 Pine Ridge Road
Taves, John	Mgr... ..	18 Gloucester Street
Taylor, Chester L.	Salesman.....	36 Scituate Street
Theall, Stephen T.	Salesman.....	8 Pondview Road
Theller, Edwin L.	Bookkeeper.....	36 Menotomy Road

Name	Occupation	Residence
Thomas, Paul A.	Plumber.. . . .	151 Palmer Street
Thompson, A. Wayne	Accountant.....	58 Bates Road
Thompson, Gordon Patch ..	Real Estate.....	37 Brantwood Road
Thompson, Joseph S.	Pool Maker.....	12 Gardner Street
Thompson, Walter J.	Pea Blender.. . . .	24 Pondview Road
Thornburn, Russell S.	Manager.....	51 Grandview Road
Thoren, Carl A.	Salesman.....	8 Cliff Street
Tierney, John ...	Auto Business.....	17 Everett Street
Tilton, Arvid F.	Auto Body Co.	15 Fayette Street
Tilton, Charles S.	Electronic Scientist.....	1 Lanark Road
Torrey, Dorian R.	Plumber	29 Overlook Road
Tremblay, Victor	Bank Examiner.....	61 Foster Street
Tripp, Wilton Allen	Research Worker	6 Iroquois Road
Valley, Alfred	Contractor.....	71 Lake Street
Wade, Daniel P.	Accountant.....	51 Palmer Street
Wagner, Arthur L.	Accountant	120 Park Avenue
Walker, George G.	Hoods....	23 Lennan Road
Wallace, Edward	Compositor.....	1008 Mass. Avenue
Waller, William J.	Operator... ..	175 Highland Avenue
Walsh, John J.	Clerk.....	26 Sunnyside Avenue
Walsh, Thomas M.	Tree Surgeon.....	15 Littlejohn Street
Wanamaker, Carl O.	Machinist	22 Edmund Road
Ward, Frederick C.	Bookkeeper.. . . .	76 Paul Revere Road
Ware, Preston	Clerk.. . . .	285 Gray Street
Watts, Carl E.	Supt.	14 Jason Court
Webb, Daniel I.	General Manager....	37 Robinhood Road
Webster, William F.	Manager	34 Lombard Road
Weddleton, Joslyn W.	Draftsman.....	39 Alpine Street
Wedge, Maurice G.	Sales Mgr....	90 Grandview Road
Wedge, Thomas A.	Chef.....	11 Daniels Street
Welch, Robert F.	Accountant.....	95 Franklin Street
Welch, Timothy J.	Electrician.....	49 Hamlet Street
Wells, William E.	Refrig. Supt.....	35 Magnolia Street
West, James A.	Salesman.. . . .	840 Mass. Avenue
West, Thomas J.	Salesman	18 Hopkins Road
Wharton, Richard C.	Technician.. . . .	6 Mott Street
Wheaton, Spencer M.	Carpenter... ..	60 Paul Revere Road
White, Bernard F.	Radio Worker 133 Park Avenue Extension	
Wier, Arthur G.	Asst. Mgr... ..	8 Maynard Street
Wilkie, Thomas C.	Machinist.....	22 Linwood Street
Williams, James E.	Comptroller....	62 Princeton Road
Wilmarth, Philip H.	Plant Engineer.....	1 Morton Road
Wilson, Harold E.	Treasurer	36 Academy Street
Wilson, James W.	Repairman.....	11 Pelham Terrace
Wingard, Frank B.	Machinist.....	15 Chandler Street
Woodbury, William E.	Radio Eng.....	106 Mt. Vernon Street
Wraga, Edwin F.	Accountant	173 Lake Street
Wylie, Frank E.	Inspector	11 Martin Street

Town Accountant's Report

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen
Marcus L. Sorensen, Chairman
Arlington 74, Mass.

Gentlemen:

I hand you herewith a report of the financial transactions of the Town of Arlington for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1951, as set forth in the following schedules:

Balance Sheet

Deferred Accounts, Debt Account, Trust and Investment Funds

Unexpended Balances, Appropriation Accounts

Appropriations and Expenditures

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE NEEDHAM,

Town Accountant.

December 31, 1951

Town of Arlington — Balance Sheet December 31, 1951

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

ASSETS		LIABILITIES & RESERVES	
Cash:		Accounts Payable	\$ 37,921.65
General	\$1,277,030.08	Tailings	242.47
Petty	785.00	Guarantee Deposits	9,297.39
Accounts Receivable:		Agency:	
Taxes:		County Dog Licenses	46.20
Poll-Levy of 1951	276.00	Gifts & Bequests:	
Personal-Levy of 1951	1,674.56	Wellington Memorial Fund	50.00
Real Estate-Levy of 1951	95,144.47	Trust Funds Income:	
Motor Vehicle Excise:		Charity Funds	\$5,718.48
Levy of 1951	15,598.56	School Funds	812.33
Special Assessments:		E. Nelson Blake Jr. Fund	1,169.18
Moth-Levy of 1951	59.10	Library Trust Fund	11,710.18
Unapportioned Sewer Assessment	8,943.58	Horace T. Douglas Cemetery Fund	122.12
Sewer-Added to 1951 Taxes ..	220.66	Irving Johnson Cemetery Fund ..	21.33
Unapportioned St. Betterment ..	9,794.43	Federal Grants:	
St. Betterments—Added to 1951 Taxes	390.74	U.S. O.A. A. Admin., Expense	9,363.77
Unapportioned Sidewalk Assessment	3,982.83	U.S. O. A. A.	22,239.01
Sidewalk added to 1951 taxes ..	26.73	George Barden Fund—School	1,309.41
Committed Interest:		George Barden Fund—Fire	143.40
Sewer—1951	56.33	Premium on Bonds	1.00
St. Betterment—1951	95.67	Unexpended Appropriation Balances	491,744.86
Sidewalks—1951	12.37	Sale of Land—General	17,337.62
		Cemetery Lots & Graves	80,799.50

Tax Titles and Possessions:					
Tax Titles	4,399.48			Receipts Reserved:	686.31
Tax Possessions	12,024.95	16,424.43		Cemetery—Sale of Junk	18,828.44
Departmental:				Parking Meters Collections	
Selectmen	275.00			School Lunch Fund	\$5,117.89
Public Works	1,153.16			School Milk Fund	1,210.79
Police	632.44				
Fire	1,153.91			Overlay Surplus	2,262.80
Board of Health	34,521.98			Revenue reserved until collected:	
Welfare	3,160.95			Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	15,598.56
Comm. of Mass. A. D. C.	5,617.86			Special Assessments	23,582.44
Old Age Assistance	6,920.07			Tax Titles	4,399.48
Veterans Benefits	883.31			Tax Possessions	12,024.95
School	7,205.24			Departmental	89,694.96
Symmes Hospital	21,366.54			Water	12,078.41
Cemetery—Regular	500.00	89,694.96			
Cemetery—Annual Care	6,304.50				157,378.80
Water:					
Liens added to 1951 Taxes	120.75			Reserve for Petty Cash	785.00
Rates	11,943.66	12,078.41		Old Age Assistance	
Miscellaneous	14.00			Reimbursement	3,294.56
Overlay Deficit of 1950	885.00	10,556.00		Surplus	671,578.62
Overlay Deficit of 1951	9,671.00				<u>\$1,551,193.11</u>
Physical Education Fund ..					
Comm. of Mass. Underestimate		634.93			
Middlesex County Tax Underestimate		1,491.50			
U.S. Aid to Dependent Children		5,979.41			
		242.36			
		<u>\$1,551,193.11</u>			

December 31, 1951

DEFERRED ACCOUNTS

Apportioned Assessments Not Due:		• Apportioned Special Assessments Due 1951 to 1960
	Inclusive:	
Sewers ..	\$ 10,496.61	\$ 10,496.61
Sidewalks ..	11,020.39	11,020.39
Street Betterments ..	26,581.04	26,581.04
	<u>\$ 48,098.04</u>	<u>\$ 48,098.04</u>

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Net Funded or Fixed Debt ..	\$1,195,000.00	Serial Loans	\$1,195,000.00
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TRUST AND INVESTMENT FUNDS

In Custody of Treasurer ..	\$1,548,489.67	Municipal Insurance Fund	\$ 99,654.74
In Custody of Trustees ..	53,070.36	Workmen's Compensation Fund ..	81.73
		Contributory Retirement Fund ..	524,274.91
		Public Trust Funds	977,548.65
			<u>\$1,601,560.03</u>

Unexpended Balances, Appropriation Accounts

December 31, 1951

Personnel Board—Capital Outlay	\$ 37.75
Committee Town Yard	15.00
Committee Purchasing Agent	25.06
Committee Advanced Programming & Budgeting	415.39
Committee Building Code	1,666.25
Committee Memorial to Daniel P. Barry	141.23
Committee Branch Library East Arlington	76.89
Committee Town Manager	364.56
Committee Special Compensation Town Employees	100.00
Committee Disposal of Industrial Arts Building	100.00
Committee Improvement & Reconstruction Russell School ..	100.00
Committee Study Junior High Center	600.00
Committee Fire Prevention Code	200.00
Committee Garage for Town Vehicles	200.00
Engineer—Capital Outlay	79.90
Study of Traffic—Arlington Center	240.58
Town Hall Maintenance of Grounds—Capital Outlay	3,000.00
Police—Capital Outlay ..	511.48
Alteration & Addition to Police Headquarters	92.50
Fire—Capital Outlay	18,250.00
Fire & Police—Capital Outlay	2,278.75
Dept. of Civil Defense	1,251.44
Civil Defense Art. #5	10,000.00
Sewer Extensions	17,217.69
Sewer Extensions Reserve for Damages	270.57
Summer St. Sewer Extension Art. #17	814.95
Storm Drain Extensions	10,565.37
Storm Drains—Reserve for Damages	48.20
Highway—Capital Outlay	10,186.61
1950 St. Construction	16,445.40
1951 St. Construction ..	92,839.42
Construction of Fremont Street	2,574.84
Construction of Columbia & Stowcroft Road	2,274.93
Reserve for Damages—Columbia & Stowcroft Road	1,000.00
Reserve for Damages—Fremont Street	342.08
1950 Street Construction—Reserve for Damages	1,008.27
1951 Street Construction—Reserve for Damages	193.07
Easements in Land—1946	1,500.00
Easements in Land—1950	2,200.00
Easements in Land—Fremont Street	500.00
Easements in Land—Stowcroft Road	500.00
Easements in Land—Art. #38	1,300.00
Reconstruction Mass. Ave. & Mystic Street	847.45
Relocation alteration & widening Mass. Ave. Broadway & Lake St.	2,308.23
Reconstruction of Mass. Avenue or Broadway	3,331.04
Reconstruction Broadway, Mystic, Park Ave., Mass. Ave or Pleasant St.	9,961.80
Alteration of River St., Reserve for Damages	7.18
Sidewalks & Edgestones	10,580.02
Art. #18 Sidewalks & Edgestones	11,000.00

Exterior Lines Heath Rd. from Norcross	15.73
Traffic Signal—Capital Outlay	4,551.48
Parking Meters	316.12
Parking Meters Expense	53.39
Schools—Capital Outlay	24.32
Schools—plans & specifications for architect & engineers ..	650.00
Teachers Contributory Fund	750.00
Schools—Vocational Tuition	726.12
George H. Lowe Jr. Auditorium	16.55
Mysticside School	1,551.17
Committee construction Mysticside School	308.81
Plans & Estimates for Jr. High West	699.85
Jr. High West Art. #20	19,564.95
Hardy School Building Committee	532.10
Physical Education Program	4,250.39
Library—Capital Outlay	7,229.51
Parks & Playgrounds—Capital Outlay	733.62
Plans for Developing Robbins Farm	250.00
Waldo Road Playground Improvement	1,199.05
Improvement Linwood St. Playground	157.20
Maintenance of Honor Roll Board	200.00
Additions & Alteration Robbins Memorial Town Hall	119,525.50
Art. 11—Special Cost of Living Bonus for Employees	64,671.04
Emergency Valve Insertions	470.92
Water Dept. Maintenance—Capital Outlay	1,382.81
Water Extensions	13,667.63
Water Extensions Reserve for Damages	652.36
Turkey Hill Standpipe	168.00
Turkey Hill Water Reserve for Damages	49.00
Acquisition of Land for Cemetery	141.82
Cemetery—Improvement of Land	6,998.04
Land for Extension of Mt. Pleasant Cemetery	297.48
Purchase of Burial Rights	376.00

\$491,744.86

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

	Balance Dec. 31, 1950	Appropriation 1951	Other Credits	Total	Expended	Transferred	Balance Dec. 31, 1951
Finance Committee:							
Personal Services		\$1,100.00		\$ 1,100.00	\$1,100.00		155.09
Expense		700.00		700.00	544.91		5,087.08
Reserve Fund		65,000.00		65,000.00		59,912.92	
Personnel Board:							
Personal Services		5,460.00		5,460.00	5,443.26		16.74
Expense		975.00		975.00	466.54		508.46
Capital Outlay	37.75			37.75			37.75
Various Committees On:							
Town Yard	15.00			15.00			15.00
Purchasing Agent	33.06			33.06	8.00		25.06
Advanced Program & Budget	451.01			451.01	35.62		415.39
Building Code	1,666.25			1,666.25			1,666.25
Memorial to Daniel P. Barry	141.23			141.23			141.23
East End Library	100.00			100.00	23.11		76.89
Town Manager	500.00			500.00	135.44		364.56
Spec. Compensation Town Employ.	100.00			100.00			100.00
Disposal Industrial Arts Bldg.	100.00			100.00			100.00
Imp. & Const. of Russell School	100.00			100.00			100.00
Study Jr. High Center	600.00			600.00			600.00
Fire Prevention Code	200.00			200.00			200.00
Garage for Town Vehicles	200.00			200.00			200.00
Selectmen:							
Personal Services		9,733.00		9,733.00	9,708.41		24.59
Expense		1,755.00	800.00	2,555.00	2,437.31		117.69
Accountant:							
Personal Services		13,063.00	348.49	13,411.49	13,396.70		14.79
Expense		645.00	200.00	845.00	789.16		55.84
Treasurer-Collector:							
Personal Services		23,094.00		23,094.00	22,500.94		593.06
Expense		7,300.00	524.54	7,824.54	7,699.87		124.67
Out-of-State Travel		350.00	21.20	371.20	371.20		

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APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES—Continued

	Balance Dec. 31, 1950	Appropriation 1951	Other Credits	Total	Expended	Transferred	Balance Dec. 31, 1951
Fire:							
Personal Services		318,152.92		318,152.92	314,737.75		3,415.17
Expense		18,530.00		18,530.00	18,513.62		16.38
Out-of-State Travel		250.00		250.00	250.00		
Capital Outlay		22,325.00	1,950.00	24,275.00	6,025.00		18,250.00
Fire & Police Signal:							
Personal Services		3,234.36		3,234.36	3,234.36		
Expense		9,566.00		9,566.00	9,562.32		3.68
Capital Outlay	8,330.00	7,392.50	807.94	16,530.44	14,251.69		2,278.75
Out-of-State Travel		100.00		100.00	69.60		30.40
Building Inspector:							
Personal Services		12,649.00		12,649.00	11,582.28		1,066.72
Expense		1,339.00		1,339.00	1,150.19	170.34	18.47
Capital Outlay		1,150.50		1,150.50	1,150.00		.50
Boards of Appeal:							
Personal Services		3,121.00		3,121.00	3,020.56		100.44
Expense		543.75		543.75	437.20		106.55
Wire Inspector:							
Personal Services		4,520.00		4,520.00	4,520.00		
Expense		930.00		930.00	913.60		16.40
Out-of-State Travel		150.00		150.00	150.00		
Sealer:							
Personal Services		3,133.00		3,133.00	3,133.00		
Expense		655.00		655.00	583.95		71.05
Gypsy Moth:							
Personal Services & Wages		13,742.50		13,742.50	13,094.64		647.86
Expense		3,030.00		3,030.00	2,513.98	380.00	136.02
Capital Outlay		1,100.00		1,100.00	1,100.00		
Out-of-State Travel		200.00		200.00	200.00		
Tree Warden:							
Personal Services & Wages		\$9,675.50	\$490.33	\$10,165.83	\$9,183.81		\$982.02
Expense		1,585.00	95.50	1,680.50	1,331.18	156.13	193.19
Capital Outlay		6,700.00		6,700.00	6,693.50		6.50
Civil Defense							
Personal Ser. & Exp.	1,714.75	5,248.00	10.00	6,972.75	5,365.72	355.59	1,251.44
Art. #5—1951		10,000.00	355.59	10,355.59	355.59		10,000.00

Board of Health:	12,790.00	12,790.00	12,705.50	84.50
Personal Services	1,975.00	1,975.00	1,453.01	521.99
Expense	159.00	159.00	150.30	8.70
Capital Outlay	25,000.00	25,000.00	10,023.38	14,976.62
Communicable Diseases	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00	1,557.20
Mosquito Control	3,000.00	3,000.00	1,442.80	
Premature Baby Care				
Inspector of Animals	600.00	600.00	600.00	
Personal Services	13,000.00	14,026.14	12,509.38	24.71
Sewer Maintenance	40,000.00	10,206.52	41,374.73	17,217.69
Sewer Extension			65,155.88	6,563.46
Reserve for Damages	324.86		324.86	270.57
Summer St. Sewer Extension	2,203.41	181.95	23.50	30.79
Orient Ave. Sewer Exten. Art. #18-1951		5,800.00	6,100.62	1,239.79
Storm Drains Extension	3,081.14	5,000.00	4,742.73	814.95
Storm Drains-Reserve for Damages	48.20	2,311.65	5,392.27	1,163.54
Sanitation			33,209.47	10,565.37
Highway:				
Capital Outlay	304.15	6,343.09	167,620.72	76.73
1946 Street Construction		86,875.42	233,014.85	330.02
1950 Street Construction	109,634.79		34,813.39	10,186.61
1951 Street Construction		590.73	88,425.17	16,445.40
Reserve for Damages		3,272.54	125,965.27	92,839.42
Fremont Street Construction		369.66		193.07
Columbia & Stowcroft Rd. Const.	10,574.84		176.59	2,574.84
Columbia Road & Stowcroft Road-Reserve for Damages	3,774.93			2,274.93
Fremont Street Const. Reserve for Damages	1,000.00	1,000.00		1,000.00
1950 Street Const. Reserve for Damages	342.08	342.08		342.08
Easements in Land-1946	94.92	1,008.27		1,008.27
Easements in Land-1945	1,500.00	1,500.00		1,500.00
Easements in Land-Fremont Street	2,200.00	2,200.00		2,200.00
Easements in Land-Columbia & Stowcroft	500.00	500.00		500.00
Easements in Land-1951	500.00	500.00		500.00
Reconstruction of Mass. Ave. & Mystic Lake	847.45	1,300.00	1,300.00	1,300.00
Reconstruction of Mass. Ave. Broadway & Lake		847.45		847.45
Reconstruction of Mass. Ave. or Broadway	2,308.23	2,308.23		2,308.23
Reconstruction Broadway, Mystic, Mass. Ave. & Pleasant 1951	2,386.69	36,955.39	33,624.35	3,331.04
		34,568.70		
	10,000.00	10,000.00	38.20	9,961.80

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES—Continued

	Balance Dec. 31, 1950	Appropriation 1951	Other Credits	Total	Expended	Transferred	Balance Dec. 31, 1951
Alteration of Gray Street Reserve for Damages	83.29			83.29		83.29	7.18
Alteration of River St.—Res. for Damages	7.18			7.18			10,580.02
Sidewalks & Edgestones	2,838.54	20,000.00	285.89	23,124.43	10,880.77	1,663.64	
Sidewalks & Edgestones, Summer & Fore Streets	11,000.00			11,000.00			11,000.00
Exterior Lines—Ely Road to Rublee	739.18			739.18		739.18	
Exterior Lines—Appleton to Rublee	96.47			96.47		96.47	
Exterior Lines—Glenburn Rd.	50.61			50.61		50.61	
Exterior Lines—Marion Rd.	18.96			18.96		18.96	
Exterior Lines—Venner Road	60.31			60.31		60.31	
Exterior Lines—Hibbert Street	241.58			241.58		241.58	
Exterior Lines—Spring St.	39.48			39.48		39.48	
Exterior Lines—Renfrew Street	19.41			19.41		19.41	
Exterior Lines—Hillsdale Rd.	804.55			804.55		804.55	
Exterior Lines—Spy Pond Pkwy. to Kelwyn Manor	36.48			36.48		36.48	
Exterior Lines—Spy Pond Pkwy. to Princeton	25.14			25.14		25.14	15.73
Exterior Lines—Heath Road	15.73			15.73			
Snow & Ice & Maintenance of Snow Removal Equipment							
Street Lighting		53,428.09	11,593.44	65,021.53	57,402.81	6,242.77	1,375.95
Ornamental St. Lighting—10/2/50		72,653.50		72,653.50	71,268.05		1,385.45
Ornamental St. Lighting—3/19/51 Art. #5	2,500.00			2,500.00		2,500.00	250.00
Traffic Signals:		3,000.00		3,000.00	2,750.00		
Personal Services		7,403.20	5.04	7,408.24	7,408.24		
Expense		3,400.00	255.00	3,655.00	3,296.92		2.26
Capital Outlay	4,925.00	1,000.00		5,925.00	1,373.52	355.82	4,551.48
Parking Meters:							
Personal Services	1,427.98	4,368.96	6.00	5,802.94	4,058.84	1,427.98	316.12
Expense	430.02	2,515.00	118.80	3,063.82	1,456.71	1,554.72	53.39
Capital Outlay		142.38		142.38	142.38		
Welfare Administration:							
Personal Services		23,598.00		23,598.00	23,598.00		
Expense		2,210.00		2,210.00	65.28		2,144.72
Out-of-State Travel		200.00		200.00			200.00
Capital Outlay		1,400.00		1,400.00	1,390.00		10.00

Welfare Aid	\$277.31	\$70,277.31	\$65,234.12	.....	\$5,043.19
Aid to Dependent Children	896.74	40,896.74	32,104.28	.....	8,792.46
Old Age Assistance	4,544.48	304,544.48	287,289.79	.....	17,254.69
District Nurses & Others .....	.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	.....	.....
Veterans Services:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Personal Services	8,748.0	8,748.00	8,721.66	.....	26.34
Expense	1,570.00	1,589.39	1,483.98	.....	105.41
Veterans Benefits:	111.87	26,861.87	21,779.99	.....	5,081.88
School:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
General Control	28,741.00	28,741.00	27,149.85	.....	1,591.15
Instructional Services	1,034.491.00	1,035,086.62	1,022,305.84	.....	12,768.78
Operation of Plant	171,093.00	171,236.40	164,011.11	.....	7,225.29
Maint. of Plant	90,076.00	90,076.00	88,745.33	.....	1,330.67
Auxiliary Agencies	24,194.00	24,194.00	23,392.30	.....	801.70
Capital Outlay	19,286.00	19,812.92	19,769.21	.....	54.71
Architectural & Engineering Advice	1,500.00	1,500.00	850.00	.....	650.00
Teachers' Contributory Fund	750.00	750.00	.....	.....	750.00
Vocational Tuition	4,260.00	4,264.80	3,538.68	.....	726.12
School-Out-of-State Travel	200.00	200.00	193.38	.....	6.62
George H. Lowe Jr. Auditorium	4,080.12	761.95	745.40	.....	16.55
Mystic Lake School	308.81	308.81	2,528.95	.....	1,551.17
Plans for New School—1947	699.85	699.85	.....	.....	308.81
Plans & Estimates for Jr. High West .....	.....	77,679.54	58,114.59	.....	699.85
Jr. High West Bldg. Committee	20.00	885.35	153.25	.....	19,564.95
Hardy School Bldg. Committee .....	.....	9,000.00	4,749.61	.....	532.10
Physical Education Program .....	.....	3,000.00	3,000.00	.....	4,250.39
School Lunch Program .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Library:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Personal Services	57,551.00	57,551.00	57,275.08	.....	275.92
Expense	28,000.00	28,000.00	27,544.41	.....	455.59
Capital Outlay	750.00	10,108.11	2,878.60	.....	7,229.51
Acquisition of Land & Bldgs. .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Branch Library .....	.....	15,750.00	15,750.00	.....	.....
Parks & Playgrounds:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Personal Services	140.40	60,028.40	56,044.89	.....	3,983.51
Expense	93.00	12,910.00	11,896.34	.....	191.95
Capital Outlay	2,500.00	20,610.20	19,616.67	.....	733.62
Park-Out-of-State Travel	100.00	100.00	259.91	.....	30.00
Warren A. Felice .....	.....	.....	70.00	.....	.....
Personal Services	300.00	300.00	.....	.....	300.00
Expense	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,371.19	.....	54.56
Capital Outlay	4,000.00	4,000.00	3,991.14	.....	8.86
Improvement Art. 21—1948	356.76	356.76	356.76	.....	.....

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES—Continued

	Balance Dec. 31, 1950	Appropriation 1951	Other Credits	Total	Expended	Transferred	Balance Dec. 31, 1951
Plans for Robbins Farm Playground	500.00			500.00	250.00		250.00
Waldo Rd. Playground Improvement							1,199.05
Art. 45—1942	1,199.05			1,199.05			157.20
Linwood St. Playground, Walks etc.	157.20			157.20			57.00
Patriots Day Celebration		250.00		250.00	193.00		23.52
Memorial Day		1,650.00		1,650.00	1,626.48		85.00
Maintenance of Menotomy & Others		3,140.00		3,140.00	3,055.00		
Expense		5,135.00		5,135.00	4,223.61		911.39
Insurance		18,149.07	30.00	18,179.07	16,726.07		1,453.00
Workmen's Compensation		15,500.00	24,628.52	40,128.52	40,128.52		
Pensions		54,282.03	5,205.15	59,487.18	55,550.16		3,937.02
Contributory Retirement System		28,914.64		28,914.64	28,914.64		
Printing Town Reports		2,596.50		2,596.50	2,596.50		
Maintenance of Honor Roll Board		200.00		200.00			200.00
Claims of Symmes Hospital		16,195.80		16,195.80	10,320.95		5,874.85
Veterans of Foreign Wars	883.36			883.36		883.36	
Marine Corps League	340.00	600.00		940.00	550.00	390.00	
Foreclosures & Registration Tax Titles	24.84		1.09	25.93	16.80		
Sale of Acquired Tax Title Property	100.00			100.00		100.00	
Conversion of Heating Systems	1,047.18			1,047.18		1,047.18	
Additions & Alterations to Town Hall	119,530.50			119,530.50			119,535.50
Art. #9—Amendment to Classification Plan		84,416.50		84,493.17	60,035.04		3,862.42
Art. #10—Increase in Salaries		54,946.73	76.67	54,946.73	49,568.28	18,575.71	3,851.78
Art. #11—Special Compensation		100,000.00		100,000.00	35,328.96	1,526.67	64,671.04
Water Maintenance		116,624.85	11,538.54	128,163.39	113,130.24		2,911.17
Water House Connections		14,000.00	4,556.67	18,556.67	7,205.66		1,400.32
Emergency Valve Insertions	470.92			470.92			470.92
New Meters & Replacements	2,097.68	11,900.00		13,997.68	12,349.85	265.02	1,382.81

Water Extensions	18,284.25	45,000.00	18,619.28	81,903.53	63,935.77	4,400.13	13,687.63
Turkey Hill Supply Line	168.00	.....	.....	168.00	.....	.....	168.00
Water Extensions—Reserve for Damages	652.36	.....	.....	652.36	.....	.....	652.36
Turkey Hill—Reserve for Damages	49.00	.....	.....	49.00	.....	.....	49.00
Cemetery .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Personal Services .....	.....	36,710.00	.....	36,710.00	36,594.63	.....	109.05
Expense .....	.....	4,400.00	7,586.81	11,986.81	3,812.87	.....	8,142.34
Acquisition of Land for Cemetery .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	31.60	141.82
Cemetery—Improvement of Land	141.82	.....	.....	141.82	.....	.....	141.82
Land for Extension of Cemetery	12,194.52	10,000.00	.....	22,194.52	14,834.98	361.50	6,998.04
Purchase of Burial Rights	297.48	.....	.....	297.48	.....	.....	297.48
Interest	668.00	.....	.....	668.00	292.00	.....	376.00
Town Debt. ....	.....	23,900.00	.....	23,900.00	21,099.43	.....	2,800.57
.....	.....	75,000.00	.....	75,000.00	75,000.00	.....	.....
GRAND TOTALS	\$450,936.59	\$4,797,246.64	\$264,211.19	\$5,512,394.42	\$4,650,364.51	\$218,678.74	\$643,351.17

145th ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

TOWN OFFICERS

OF THE

TOWN OF ARLINGTON
MASSACHUSETTS

AND

THE TOWN RECORDS

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1951



SUPPLEMENT TO
ANNUAL REPORT
OF THE
TOWN ACCOUNTANT
FOR THE
YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1951
TOWN OF ARLINGTON
MASSACHUSETTS



RECEIPTS—1951

TAXES:

Current Year:

Real Estate	\$3,122,963.16
Personal	185,562.05
Poll	24,364.00

Previous Years:

Real Estate	82,434.34
Personal	3,317.42
Poll	294.00

Tax Titles Redemption	373.76
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From the State:

Corporation Tax	185,833.47
Income Tax	352,620.16

Total Taxes\$3,957,762.36

LICENSES AND PERMITS:

Licenses:

Junk	}	2,317.00
Pedlars		
Milk ..		
Bicycles		
All Others		

Permits:

Marriages	1,016.60
All Others	4,715.40

Total Licenses & Permits 8,049.00

Forward \$3,965,811.36

RECEIPTS—1951

Forward \$3,965,811.36

FINES AND FORFEITS:

Court Fines	\$ 1,485.91	
Total Fines & Forfeits		1,485.91

GRANTS AND GIFTS:

Grants from Federal Government:

Old Age Assistance	236,340.62
Aid to Dependent Children	21,067.51

Grants from State:

School Construction	121,483.97
Vocational Education	8,684.84
From State ..	16,318.47
Meal Tax—For Old Age Assistance	3,980.18
Refund Charles River Basin	141.94
Metropolitan Parks	3,420.00
Parks	540.73
Boulevards	202.47
Charles River Basin	3,304.38
North System	1,630.44

Grants from County:

Dog Licenses	3,224.27
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Total Grants and Gifts	420,339.82
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SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS:

Moth	2,211.70
Sewers	10,524.16
Sidewalks	6,143.78
Street Betterments	10,450.38

Total Special Assessments	29,330.02
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PRIVILEGES:

Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	330,684.81
Parking Meters	16,550.00

Total Privileges	347,234.81
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Forward \$4,764,201.92

RECEIPTS—1951

Forward \$4,764,201.92

DEPARTMENTAL:

General Government:

Selectmen:

Hearings, Advertising, etc. \$ 215.93

Treasurer-Collector:

Lien Fees—Misc. Costs 2,623.25

Miscellaneous 12.00

General Government Forward\$2,851.18

Forward \$4,764,201.92

PAYMENTS—1951

DEPARTMENTAL:

General Government:

Finance Committee:

Personal Services	\$ 1,100.00
Expenses	544.91
Various Committees	202.17

Personnel Board:

Salaries	5,443.26
Expenses	466.54

Selectmen:

Salaries	9,708.41
Expenses	2,437.31

Town Accountant:

Salaries	13,396.70
Expenses	789.16
State Charges	2,585.34

Treasurer-Collector:

Salaries	22,500.94
Expenses	7,714.58
Fidelity Bond	1,223.00
Out of State Travel	350.00

Assessors:

Salaries	13,716.25
Expenses	1,861.41

General Government Forward \$84,039.98

RECEIPTS—1951

	Forward	\$4,764,201.92
General Government Forward	\$2,851.18	
Town Clerk Fees	4,378.44	
Engineering Fees	984.53	
Boards of Appeal	720.00	
Town Hall Rental	816.50	
Town Hall Miscellaneous	42.28	
Total General Government		9,792.93

PAYMENTS—1951

General Government Forward \$84,039.98

Law Department:

Town Council—Salary and Fees	\$ 5,025.00
Investigating Symmes Hospital	2,325.00
Cases, Fees and other expenses	4,344.85
Art. #42, Acquisition of Land-Library	9,571.83

Town Clerk:

Salaries	11,148.40
Expenses	2,538.04
Capital Outlay	474.00
Art. #54 & #57 Advertising By-Laws	101.00

Board of Public Works:

Salary of Board	1,998.28
Other Salaries	3,272.58
Expenses	592.35

Board of Survey:

Salaries	2,534.05
Expenses	754.95

Planning Board:

Salaries	200.00
Expenses	404.15

Engineering Department:

Salaries	41,555.81
Expenses	2,868.79
Capital Outlay	770.10

Elections and Town Meetings:

Salaries	7,068.40
Expenses	5,705.21

Other General Departments:

Town Hall:

Salaries	10,756.91
Expenses	8,531.27
Capital Outlay	0.00

Town Hall Grounds:

Wages	5,724.02
Expenses	882.54

Total General Government	\$213,187.51
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Forward \$213,187.51

RECEIPTS—1951

Forward \$4,773,994.85

PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

Police Department:

Miscellaneous \$ 503.56

Fire Department:

Sale of Material 168.83

Fire & Police Signal:

Sale of Material 718.57

Inspection:

Sealer of Weights & Measures 491.60

Other Protection of Persons and Property:

Service of Dog Officer 1,287.00

Miscellaneous 30.12

Tree Warden:

Miscellaneous 4.78

Total Protection of Persons & Property 3,204.46

Forward \$4,777,199.31

PAYMENTS—1951

Forward \$213,187.51

PROTECTION OF PERSONS & PROPERTY:

Police Department:

Salaries	\$245,427.20
Expenses	22,700.58
Capital Outlay	4,034.85
Out of State Travel	300.00

Fire Department:

Salaries	314,737.75
Expenses	18,513.62
Capital Outlay	6,025.00
Firemen's Training	492.50
Out of State Travel	250.00

Fire and Police Signal System:

Salaries	3,234.36
Expenses	9,562.32
Capital Outlay	13,443.75
Out of State Travel	69.60

Inspection:

Building Inspector:

Salaries	11,582.28
Expenses	1,320.53
Capital Outlay	1,150.00

Boards of Appeal:

Salaries and Personal Services	3,020.56
Expenses	437.20

Wire Inspector:

Salaries	4,520.00
Expenses	913.60
Out of State Travel	150.00

Sealer of Weights and Measures:

Salaries	3,133.00
Expenses	583.95

Protection of Persons and Property	\$665,602.65
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Forward \$213,187.51

RECEIPTS—1951

Forward \$4,777,199.31

HEALTH AND SANITATION:

Health:

Contagious Diseases:

Tuberculosis	\$ 6,149.00
Dental Clinic ..	995.00
Premature Babies	305.45
Miscellaneous	6.28

Health and Sanitation Forward 7,455.73

Forward \$4,777,199.31

PAYMENTS—1951

	Forward	\$213,187.51
Protection of Persons & Property—Forward	\$665,602.65	
Forestry:		
Insect Pest Extermination:		
Salaries	13,094.64	
Expenses	2,893.98	
Capital Outlay	1,100.00	
Out of State Travel	200.00	
Planting and Trimming Trees:		
Salaries	8,793.48	
Expenses	1,391.81	
Capital Outlay	6,693.50	
Dog Officer:		
Salaries	1,359.00	
Expenses	1,740.50	
Municipal Parking Area	937.70	
Dept. of Civil Defense:		
Salaries	2,846.62	
Expenses	2,864.69	
Total Protection Persons & Property		709,518.57

• HEALTH AND SANITATION:

Health Salaries	\$ 12,105.50
Expenses	1,132.01
Capital Outlay	150.30
Mosquito Nuisance	2,000.00
County Hospital Assessment	44,700.12
Contagious Diseases	10,023.38
Vital Statistics	215.75
Premature Baby Care	1,442.80
Inspection:	
Milk Inspector	\$ 321.00
Inspection of Animals	600.00
School Nurse and Physician	13,615.54
Smoke Nuisance	836.53
Health & Sanitation Forward	\$87,142.93

Forward \$922,706.08

RECEIPTS—1951

Forward \$4,777,199.31

Health and Sanitation Forward ... \$7,455.73

SANITATION:

Sale of Garbage	16,640.00
House Connections—Sewers	4,323.23
Sale of Rubbish Tickets	1,039.00

Total Health and Sanitation	29,457.96
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HIGHWAYS:

General:

State and County Joint Maintenance	34,568.70
Snow & Ice Removal	630.16
Miscellaneous	965.67

Total Highways	36,164.53
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Forward \$4,842,821.80

PAYMENTS—1951

	Forward	\$922,706.08
Health and Sanitation Forward		\$87,142.93

SANITATION:

Sewer Maintenance and Operation	\$ 14,382.05
Metropolitan Sewer Maintenance	45,276.54
Sewer Construction	52,367.68
Storm Drains	32,951.72
Refuse and Garbage Disposal	208,835.57
Street Cleaning	25,298.27

Total Health and Sanitation	\$466,254.76
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HIGHWAY:

General Administration:

Salaries ..	\$ 12,937.80
Expenses	2,073.22

Maintenance:

Wages and Material	104,204.05
Equipment—Capital Outlay	34,813.39
1951 Streets	148,375.67
Reconstruction of Streets—Chapter 90 ..	33,662.55
Sidewalks and Edgestones	19,235.46
Snow and Ice Removal	65,618.39
Street Lighting	71,224.43
Street Signs	10,366.54
Traffic Signs and Guides	12,429.46
Parking Meters	5,719.13
1950 Streets	92,276.04

Total Highway	612,936.13
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Forward \$2,001,896.97

RECEIPTS—1951

Forward \$4,842,821.80

CHARITIES:

Reimbursement for Relief:

Welfare Aid:

From Cities and Towns	\$ 4,338.92
From the State	6,237.62
Individuals	285.20

Reimbursement for Old Age Assistance:

From Individuals	3,557.10
From Cities and Towns	9,984.13
From the State	205,393.74
Miscellaneous	14.34

Total Charities	229,811.05
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VETERANS' BENEFITS:

State Aid	11,761.48
Miscellaneous	4.78

Total Soldiers' Benefits	11,766.26
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Forward \$5,084,399.11

PAYMENTS—1951

Forward \$2,001,896.97

CHARITIES:

Welfare:

General Administrative Salaries	\$ 22,998.00
Town Physician	600.00
Visiting Nurses	3,000.00
Expenses	65.28
Aid	64,956.81
Capital Outlay	1,390.00

Aid to Dependent Children:

General Administrative—Expense	3,005.06
Aid to Dependent Children	51,580.46

Old Age Assistance:

General Administrative—Expense	16,652.46
Assistance	481,153.43

Total Charities 645,401.50

VETERANS' BENEFITS:

General Administration:

Salaries	8,721.66
Expenses	1,464.59
Veterans relief	21,668.12

Total Veterans Benefits 31,854.37

Forward \$2,679,152.84

RECEIPTS—1951

Forward \$5,084,399.11

SCHOOLS:

Tuition State Wards	\$ 15,724.34	
Tuition Local	1,797.30	
Rental of School Rooms	199.00	
Sale of Trade School Products	273.90	
Miscellaneous	715.23	
School Lunches	74,381.02	
Milk	14,488.08	
School Athletic Receipts	7,786.63	
English Speaking Classes	190.00	
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Total Schools		115,555.50

Forward \$5,199,954.61

PAYMENTS—1951

Forward \$2,679,152.84

SCHOOLS:

General Control:

Salary Superintendent	\$ 7,624.96
Salaries—Others	17,544.94
Expenses	1,979.95

Instructional Services:

Teachers and others	962,590.09
Supplies	56,251.39
Miscellaneous Supplies	2,880.74

Operation of Plant:

Salaries—Janitors and Helpers	98,943.35
Material and Expenses	64,924.36

Maintenance of Plant:

Repairmen ..	28,813.60
Repairs and Replacements	52,654.01
Miscellaneous Expenses	7,432.76

Auxiliary Agencies:

Expenses	1,162.19
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Capital Outlay:

Furnishings and Equipment	6,930.44
Instructional Apparatus	10,770.69
Remodeling and Construction	1,583.32

Miscellaneous:

Various School Funds	877.88
Safety Regulations	502.05
Out-of-State Travel	193.38
Architect and Engineering Advice	850.00
School Lunch Program	3,000.00
Repairs to Lowe Auditorium	745.40
New Buildings and Additions	60,776.79
Physical Education Fund	4,749.61
School Lunches ..	72,745.15
School Milk—Elementary	13,865.45
School Games	9,849.85

Vocational and Other Tuition:

Other Cities and Towns	4,033.88
George Barden Funds	8,725.64

 Total Schools \$1,503,001.87

Forward \$4,182,154.71

RECEIPTS—1951

Forward \$5,199,954.61

LIBRARIES:

Fines	\$ 2,993.34
Lost Books	31.42
Miscellaneous	292.91

Total Libraries	3,317.67
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RECREATION:

Entertainments	164.14
Miscellaneous	86.28
Concession to Caterer	76.00

Total Receptions	326.42
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Forward \$5,203,598.70

PAYMENTS—1951

Forward \$4,182,154.71

LIBRARIES:

Salaries	\$ 57,275.08	
Expenses ..	12,353.83	
Books, Periodicals and Binders	15,190.58	
Capital Outlay	2,878.60	
Trust Funds—Expenses and Books	4,969.13	
Acquisition of Land and Buildings	15,750.00	
Total Libraries		108,417.22

RECREATION:

Parks:

Salaries and Wages	47,287.49
Expenses	12,625.05
Capital Outlay	19,876.58
Metropolitan Parks Maintenance— Charles River Basin and Nantasket ..	60,424.79

Playgrounds:

Personal Services	15,483.08
Expenses	855.49
Equipment and Improvements	250.00
Warren A. Peirce Field—Expense	1,445.44
Warren A. Peirce Field—Capital Outlay ..	4,347.90
Out of State Travel	70.00

Celebrations:

Patriots Day	193.00
Band Concerts	480.00

Total Recreations 163,338.82

PENSIONS AND ANNUITIES:

Non-Contributory:

Police	14,507.12
Fire	23,539.81
School	3,548.73
Public Works	11,400.50
Parks	1,160.04
Cemeteries	1,360.38
Contributory Retirement Appropriation ..	28,914.64

Total Pensions and Annuities 84,431.22

Forward \$4,538,341.97

RECEIPTS—1951

Forward \$5,203,598.70

UNCLASSIFIED:

Menotomy Hall Rental	\$ 2,890.00	
Other Town Property Rentals	737.50	
Sale of Tax Possessions Property	2,127.62	
Symmes Hospital Claims Refunded	1,486.65	
Miscellaneous	777.59	
Workmen's Compensation	364.57	
Arlington Housing Authority	1,429.40	
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Total Unclassified		9,813.33

Forward \$5,213,412.03

PAYMENTS—1951

Forward \$4,538,341.97

UNCLASSIFIED:

Tailings	\$.40	
Damage to Persons and Property	3,463.37	
Memorial Day	1,626.48	
Menotomy Hall Maintenance	5,015.68	
Town owned Property Maintenance	3,495.98	
Insurance ..	15,471.82	
Workmen's Compensation	24,628.52	
Printing Town Reports	2,596.50	
Symmes Hospital Claims	10,320.95	
Rental—Marine Corps League	600.00	
Town Clock Maintenance	43.62	
Metropolitan Transit Authority Expenses ..	475.82	
Metropolitan Transit Authority Deficiency .	10,216.75	
Metropolitan Transit Authority Reduction of Principal	12,270.14	
State Examination of Retirement System ..	196.93	
Special Compensation—Art. 9, 10, and 11 ..	164,957.99	
Honor Roll Maintenance	0.00	
Additions and Alterations to Town Hall	5.00	
Total Unclassified		255,385.95

Forward \$4,793,727.92

RECEIPTS—1951

Forward \$5,213,412.03

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:

Water:

Sale of Water	\$200,105.14
Miscellaneous	6,782.92

Total Public Service Enterprises	206,888.06
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Forward \$5,420,300.09

PAYMENTS—1951

Forward \$4,793,727.92

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:

Water Operation and Maintenance:

Personal Services and Wages	\$ 89,264.44
Material and Expenses	56,338.14

Construction:

Personal Services and Wages	19,250.98
Material and Expenses	43,129.75

Total Public Services and Enterprises	207,983.31
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Forward \$5,001,711.23

RECEIPTS—1951

Forward \$5,420,300.09

CEMETERIES:

Sale of Lots and Graves	\$ 10,119.00	
Care of Lots and Graves—Not Endowed ..	2,269.00	
Trust Funds ..	12,665.11	
Interest on Endowment Funds	57.50	
Perpetual Care Fund Income	7,296.81	
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Total Cemeteries		32,407.42

INTEREST:

General Bank Deposits	1,830.11	
Deferred Taxes	2,846.01	
Special Assessments	2,732.23	
Expense Funds:		
Charity	1,243.68	
Schools	716.90	
Libraries	1,957.89	
Premium on Bonds	97.75	
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Total Interest		11,424.57

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS:

Accounts Payable	35,832.51	
Revenue Loans	750,000.00	
Street Loans	215,000.00	
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Total Municipal Indebtedness		1,000,832.51

Forward \$6,464,964.59

PAYMENTS—1951

Forward \$5,001,711.23

CEMETERIES:

Salaries—Office	\$ 2,210.00	
Wages	34,390.95	
Office Expenses	774.45	
Grounds Maintenance and Supplies	3,070.02	
Grading and Improvements	15,196.48	
Purchase of Burial Rights	292.00	
Trust Funds Expense	15.00	
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Total Cemeteries		55,948.90

INTEREST ON LOANS:

Schools	13,650.00	
Street Construction	3,250.00	
Revenue Loans	4,199.43	
Metropolitan Requirements:		
Sewers	3,269.15	
Park	109.10	
Charles River Basin	2.88	
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Total Interest		24,480.56

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS:

Loans on Schools	45,000.00
Street Construction	30,000.00
Revenue Loans	750,000.00

METROPOLITAN REQUIREMENTS:

Sewers	19,018.80
Parks ..	171.09
Water	48,793.82
Charles River Basin	18.01

ACCOUNTS PAYABLE 31,115.61

Total Municipal Indebtedness 924,117.33

Forward \$6,006,258.02

RECEIPTS—1951

Forward \$6,464,964.59

SPECIAL AND AGENCY FUNDS:

Special Service Deposits	\$ 16,350.03
Dog Licenses—County	3,996.20
Sporting Licenses—State ..	2,492.50
Withholding Tax	289,847.53
Municipal Building Insurance Fund	7,658.03
U.S. Tax on School Dances and Games	489.53

Total of Special Agency Funds	320,833.82
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CASH BALANCE JANUARY 1, 1951

General	953,005.97
Private Trust Funds	7,663.18

Total Cash Balance	960,669.15
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Grand Total Receipts during 1951 and Cash on hand January 1, 1951	\$7,746,467.56
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PAYMENTS—1951

Forward \$6,006,258.02

SPECIAL AGENCY FUNDS:

State Sporting Licenses	2,492.50
County Tax	148,243.15
County Dog Tax	3,972.80
Withholding Tax	289,847.53
Special Service Deposits—Refunded	2,450.88
Special Service Deposits—	
Transferred to Income	9,272.07
Ornamental Christmas Lighting	5,500.00
Premium on Bonds—Expense	96.75
Admission Taxes—Internal Revenue	518.78

Total Agency Transactions	462,394.46
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CASH BALANCE DECEMBER 31, 1951:

General	1,269,280.09
Private Trust Funds	8,534.99

Total Cash Balance	1,277,815.08
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Grand Total of Payments during 1951 and
Cash on Hand December 31, 1951 \$7,746,467.56

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